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TIDE TURNED YEAR AGO TODAY

Anniversary of Battle of Pi-
cardy, Beginning of End of
Hun Military Power

Sought To Strike Before
Americans Got In—Yanks
Now Astride the Rhine

WASHINGTON, March 21.—One year ago today the German army on the peak of its power, poured down on the British lines in Picardy, bent on winning an overwhelming victory before American troops should reach the front in force.

Today Germany no longer exists as a military power. Her gigantic war machine has collapsed and the American army she sought to avoid stands astride the Rhine, shoulder to shoulder with the British and French and with all of Germany at its mercy.

When the cables on March 21, 1918, brought the news of the first terrific German onslaught, American effort was striving toward the production of an army of five million men to bring victory in 1919. Within nine months the first and second American armies had broken the hinge of the enemy front with the capture of Sedan, while decided victories had been won by the British and French. It was then that so save themselves from the ignominy of having their army captured, the German leaders forced the flight of the emperor and surrendered as a nation.

THEIR FINAL TRIBUTE

Judge Hadley's Legal and
Fraternal Associates Attend
Funeral Services

By their presence at the funeral services for Judge Samuel P. Hadley, held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Lowell men and women paid a final tribute to the memory of a man whose honorable life has indelibly left its mark on the community. The services were held at the old home in Middlesex village, for he would have wished it so, and the house was filled with relatives and friends, members of the bench and bar, persons who had come in touch with the late jurist during his life, and representatives of the Lowell Bar association, the Historical society and the York club.

The services were conducted by Rev. Alfred Rodman Husey, pastor of All Souls' church, who spoke with great feeling and touched upon several points in the life of the deceased. The Lowell Bar association was represented by Judge Thomas J. Enright, Frederick A. Fisher, Francis W. Qua, Alfred P. Sawyer, John J. Hogan, Larkin T. Trull, J. H. Guillette, Frank E. Dunbar, James J. Kerwin, Frank Goldman, Dennis J. Murphy and John J. Harvey. The Historical society was represented by Dudley L. Page, Walter Coburn, John A. Bailey and Rev. Wilson Waters, and many members of the York club were present.

Serving as honorary bearers were: Hon. Charles S. Lilley, Hon. Thomas J. Enright, Hon. John J. Pickman, Hon. Frederick A. Fisher, Dr. Burnham R. Renner, Philip S. Marden, Hon. Edward J. Noyes, Dudley L. Page, Alfred P. Sawyer, James P. Savage, Edward P. Slattery and Hon. Edward M. Tucker. The active bearers were Harry A. Brown, Frank E. Dunbar, Charles H. McIntire, Dennis J. Murphy, Larkin T. Trull and Edmund Welch. The funeral services were in charge of Edward W. Trull, under the direction of George W. Healey, undertaker. The burial was in the Lowell cemetery.

As a mark of respect, all departments of the Lowell police force were adjourned by Judge Enright at noon until 1 o'clock.

HEN THIEVES BUSY IN NEIGHBORING TOWNS

Reports of chicken thieving have been very prevalent of late in towns surrounding Lowell, especially in North Tewksbury and Dracut. Some time last night thieves broke into a hen house of Nathaniel Otis in Dracut and got away with ten of his flock. A pile of feathers was found a short distance from the house, where the thieves evidently bagged their haul, and the police authorities of the town are at work on one or two clues. Hen houses in Tewksbury have been shorn of their inhabitants several times in the past few weeks and other localities have been experiencing the same trouble.

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FOCH INSISTS ON HOLDING RHINE

Says "If We Do Not Secure
Rhine Frontier, We Will
Have Fought in Vain"

Signed Armistice To Avoid
Killing More Men When
Huns Were Facing Disaster

PARIS, March 21.—(Havas).—"The Rhine is our only good line of defense. I do not demand annexation, but if we do not secure that military frontier we will have fought in vain." is a statement made by Marshal Foch quoted in an interview printed in the Matin today.

"In discussing the last days of the war, the marshal says: 'It was the wonderful soldiers who gave us victory. My only merit was to have had faith and never to have despaired. We signed the armistice in spite of the certainty of crushing the German armies, to avoid killing one more man and because it gave us everything necessary to a French victory.'"

Turn Over More U-Boats

BASLE, March 21.—(Havas). Ten German submarines which are to be delivered to the entente powers, have left Hamburg, according to a despatch received here.

MACHINE GUNS STOLEN

100 Lewis Airplane Guns
Disappear From Ship With
U. S. Guards Aboard

BALTIMORE, Md., March 21.—Officials of the United States army intelligence bureau have searched the launch steamship Tosa Maru, which arrived here from France, last Monday. The steamer brought ordnance and other government material and the bill of lading called for 100 Lewis airplane machine guns which are not now on board.

It appears that the guns were stolen before the ship sailed from Bordeaux for this port.

On board was a guard of 15 United States troops who cannot account for the disappearance of the weapons.

O'LEARY CASE IN HANDS OF JURY

NEW YORK, March 21.—Judge Hand charged the jury today in the trial of Jeremiah A. O'Leary, the Bull Publishing Co. and the American Truth society, which has been in progress nearly eight weeks. They are charged with seditious writings.

The case was given to the jury shortly before noon.

Judge Hand read to the jury, 35 requests to charges made by the defendant and summarizing the greater part of the evidence submitted at the trial. He declined 24 other requests.

While upholding the constitutional right to free speech, the court advised that it did not exist as against the provisions of the espionage act aimed to prevent utterances the natural effect of which would be to obstruct recruiting or create insubordination in the military forces when the nation was at war. He also told the jury that mere proof that the defendants published the articles complained of, attacking the American "alliance with England" would not establish their guilt unless it was found they had acted with the intent of interfering with military preparations.

The jury would have to judge, said the court, whether O'Leary's activities were intended only to advocate the independence of Ireland, as the defendant claimed.

O'Leary heard the charge with his wife and two little sons sitting alongside him.



R. LEO CADORET

Mr. Cadoret, a well known commercial traveler, who resides when in Lowell, at 112 Middlesex street, said: "I have just completed the Vitalitas treatment for indigestion and rheumatism and I found it to be the greatest remedy of them all. For the past three years I have been troubled more or less with bad digestion and rheumatic pains in my shoulders and a friend of mine who had been cured by the use of Vitalitas suggested that I give it a trial. Today I am completely cured of both and I can't find words to express my gratification. I must highly recommend Vitalitas to everyone." Vitalitas is the world's greatest natural remedy for the treatment of rheumatism, indigestion, stomach, kidney, blood and liver ailments. Free from alcohol or "drugs." Daws, Merrimack Square Drug Store.

Italian Delegation Threatens to Quit Peace Conference Unless Fiume is Assigned to Italy

Col. House Says Peace Treaty Will Be Ready For
Signatures on March 29—Lloyd George Says La-
bor Troubles Due to Peace Delay—Surprised at
Report Labor Leaders Threaten Force

PARIS, March 21. (By the Associated Press).—The Italian delegation to the peace conference has unanimously decided to withdraw from the conference unless Fiume is assigned to Italy contemporaneously with the conclusion of peace.

The decision was reached at a meeting presided over by Premier Orlando. It was immediately communicated to the powers.

Col. House promised Premier Orlando

to present within a few days a project concerning the Italian-Jugo-Slav frontier which he hopes will settle the dispute.

The decision of the Italian delegation brings to a head, the bitter controversy between Italy and the new Jugo-Slav state over the disposition of land along the Adriatic formerly belonging to the Austro-Hungarian empire, which both nationalities claim. Italy's claims originally included

virtually the entire Dalmatian coast with Trieste and Fiume, which is the second principal seaport on the eastern side of the Adriatic. Recently the Italians manifested a disposition to make important concessions regarding the land along the Dalmatian coast, provided that the city and harbor of Fiume remained to Italy. The Jugo-Slavs, however, have insisted that this port be allotted to them, claiming it to

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ACCUSES SEC. BAKER OF AIDING I.W.W.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Mar. 21.—Secretary of War Baker was accused today of "aiding and assisting the I.W.W., internationalist socialists and humbuggers in their program of blustering the construction of the army," by Major Dick B. Foster, member of the general court-martial, which tried 135 alleged conscientious objectors at Camp Funston, in an address before the City club here today.

"This was done," Major Foster declared, "by extending and perverting the acts of congress for the protection, comfort and solace of these obstructionists."

TROOPS AND STRIKERS IN FREE FOR ALL FIGHT

ELIZABETH, N. J., March 21.—Twelve arrests were made today as the result of a free for all fight between state militia and striking woolen workers and their sympathizers in front of the Botany Worsted mills. The police came to the aid of the soldiers and used their clubs freely. Several persons were cut and bruised, but none seriously.

AGREE ON STEEL PRICE SCHEDULE

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Possible anti-trust law obstacles to the government price fixing program were the subject of a conference today between the industrial board and Attorney General Palmer.

Members of the board, headed by Chairman George N. Peck, went to the department of justice to lay before the attorney general the agreement reached last night with the steel trade under which it is proposed to fix a scale of generally reduced steel and iron prices for the year 1919. Announcement of the complete scale was delayed pending advice from Mr. Palmer as to whether the agreement would be regarded as a violation of the anti-trust laws.

AWARDED \$25,000 FOR FALSE ARREST

CHICAGO, March 21.—Mrs. Margaret Reeves, wife of Melville Reeves, known as the "skyscraper burglar" today was awarded \$25,000 in damages against Nicholas Hunt, formerly chief of detectives and Detective Sergeant Charles Gratton on her charge of false arrest. She claimed that the officers, while seeking her husband, broke into her hotel apartment while she was in her bath and compelled her to dress in their presence. She sued for \$75,000.

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HUN NOT BEATEN IN THE EAST

Paderewski Warns of Danger
With Germany at Gates of
Disorganized Russia

Declares Only Strong Poland
Can Frustrate German
Plans To Regain Power

WARSAW, Tuesday, March 18.—Germany, although defeated in the west, is not yet beaten in the east and if her aims in that part of Europe are to be frustrated and there is to be peace, there must be a strong Poland, according to Premier Paderewski.

"The importance to the peace of Europe of a strong and united Poland cannot be exaggerated," he said today. "Germany made war not for honor and ideals, but markets and raw material. The war has not yet been won. Germany is ready to acknowledge herself beaten in the west, but not in the east."

"The same men who organized the present war count on reorganizing Russia in their own interests. If they do so, they will have an endless supply of labor and raw material. In addition to wheat, they will have cotton from Turkestan, oil, great lumber supplies from the forests of Russia, immense coal and iron deposits, to say nothing of gold, platinum and other minerals. With these reinforcements Germany would inevitably stamp her domination on the whole world. Think of the effect on the splendid body of America's highly paid labor, if Germany trained and directed the cheap labor of Russia and China. No one could compete with such cheap production."

Huns at Gates of Russia

"What stands in Germany's way is not France or England, which are so far off. Germany is at the gates of disorganized Russia and once let her combine with the Bolsheviks, and reorganize Russia as she will have the leisure to do in peace time, she will dominate the world. A strong Poland alone can block this plan."

"From time immemorial it has been the task of Poland to protect civilization from the hordes of Asia organized by Germany into a machine to crush democratic civilization. This Germany would do by breaking the standard of living of the western peoples. For the present task, we need a free nation to cope with Germany in influencing the development of Russia."

Must Have Danzig

"Danzig, we must have, because without it our commerce would always be at the mercy of Germany. With Danzig we must have the river Vistula which is navigable almost to Cracow. From Danzig, to Posen the majority of the population is Polish. The country is a garden and it produces two-thirds of the potatoes for Germany. The people are industrious, somewhat slow but good organizers. They will fur-

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Major-General Edwards Coming to Lowell This Evening

Commander of the Fighting 26th
Will Meet Relatives of Lowell
Fighters in Yankee Division—
Meeting at Armory

One of the most inspiring receptions which a Lowell visitor has ever received is scheduled to come off this evening when Major-General Clarence E. Edwards, commander of the famous 26th Division will come to this city to tell the story of the wonderful work done by the men of that unit.

General Edwards will speak at the State armory at 8 o'clock. The program will be a most simple one. The United States Cartridge Co.'s band will play a few selections while the audience is being into the building. "The Star Spangled Banner" will be sung and then Major Thompson will speak for two or three minutes. Immediately the general will be introduced and at the conclusion of his address the affair will close with the singing of "America."

The armory doors will open at 7:15. Seats will be reserved for the members of the 26th Division who have already returned from France and the members of the men who served in the division. These will be held until 7:45. In the meantime the rest of

the armory will be thrown open to the general public. Details from the police department and members of the state guard will be in charge of the seating arrangements.

Preceding the armory meeting General Edwards is to have a reception at city hall at 5 o'clock to which the general public is invited. The reception will be held in the aldermanic chamber. Following the reception which will last about an hour, General Edwards will be the guest of Mayor Thompson at the York club for dinner and there will also be present members of the public safety committee.

About 7 o'clock a parade will be formed at the York club including General Edwards, Mayor Thompson and members of the committee in machines, members of the Spanish War veterans and the state guard. Heading all will be the United States Cartridge Co.'s band. The parade will proceed down Merrimack to Central street, up Middlesex to Thorneville, Chestnut street, Westford street and the armory.

WOULD GIVE \$100 BONUS TO BAY STATE SOLDIERS ORDERED TO SUSPEND HOSTILITIES AT ONCE

BOSTON, March 21.—A bill providing for the payment of a bonus of \$100 to every enlisted man and non-commissioned officer who served in the war against Germany, was reported in the house today by the committee on reconstruction.

The measure provides for a bond issue of \$20,000,000, running for a period of 10 years. This is to be financed through an increase in the poll tax. Civilian tax payers are required under the terms of the bill to pay a poll tax of \$1 instead of \$2, and the state treasurer is directed to draw upon each city and town for the full amount of its poll tax allotment regardless of whether the taxes have been collected.

The council sets forth its willingness to hear statements from both sides as to their territorial claims and allow each to be represented in Paris by qualified persons with a view to extending the truce into an armistice. The hearing accorded such representatives, however, is conditional upon the immediate cessation of fighting.

DRAFTS SUBSTITUTE FOR LEAGUE OF NATIONS

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Senator King of Utah, democrat, announced today that he had drafted a substitute for the proposed constitution of the League of Nations, designed to meet objections to the present document as expressed by various members of the senate and would send it to President Wilson at Paris. The senator said he had inserted provisions specifically exempting the Monroe Doctrine and preserving the right of the United States to control immigration, the tariff and similar questions as well as permitting a nation to withdraw from the league upon one year's notice.

nish constructive men for the development of our country.

Upper Silesia is even more Polish than Posen. It will be the center of our iron industry.

"In eastern Galicia a majority of the inhabitants are Ruthenians. The distinction between them and the Poles is not racial, but only religious, and linguistic. The Ruthenians belong to the Greek church, which recognizes the authority of Rome. When a Polish woman marries a Ruthenian, the girls are classed as Poles and the boys become Ruthenians and vice versa. The Polish peasants in eastern Galicia are enthusiastic over their newly found national unity, freedom and independence."

"This patriotism is rooted deeply in the Polish people and will cement our nation in a strong barrier against Bolshevism on the one hand and against Pan-Germanism on the other. If we receive from the peace conference those districts which will give us real independence nationally, industrially and commercially, I hope that the American people will help us to attain this end."

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PARIS, Thursday, March 20.—The German steamships Cleveland, Patricia and Cap Finistere which are to be handed over to the United States, have left Germany for British ports, beginning the movement which is to place German ships under allied control. The German crews will be replaced by Americans at the British ports. The vessels then will come to French ports to take American troops to the United States. They will return with food for Germany.

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NEWS OF INTEREST FROM TOWN OF DRACUT

Roland Hill, superintendent of streets and highways for the town of Dracut, who has been in the service of Uncle Sam since last July has returned to his home, and the news of his arrival will sound good to the residents of the town who are interested in road work, for there has been nothing done in this line since the latter part of December with the result that numerous complaints have been registered in relation to the bad conditions of side-walks in practically every district of the town.

When Sept. Hill joined the service last July his place was filled by the assistant superintendent, Henry Parker, but in the latter part of December Mr. Parker was dropped from the payroll by the road commissioners. It is customary about the first of March for road employees to go around the town and clean culverts and basins, but this work was neglected this year with the result that numerous have occurred putting sidewalks in a very bad condition. It is believed that Mr. Hill will resume his position and that he will endeavor in the shortest time possible to remedy conditions.

Acropus of road work, the town expects to spend about \$17,000 this year on this kind of work and if this amount is expended it is believed the state will come across with \$5,000. According to present plans, Mainville road from the Lowell line to the New Hampshire line will be reconstructed, while the old Nashua road from Richardson square to Canney's corner will be put in shape. It is expected that about \$2000 will be expended on that job, while \$3000 will be spent on Lakeview avenue from Collinsville to Canney's corner. The sum of \$8000 will be spent on general repairs throughout the town.

Reception to Soldiers

There will be a meeting of the committee of Centralville in charge of the arrangements for the reception to be tendered the Centralville boys of the 26th division upon their arrival in Lowell, in Odd Fellows hall, Bridge street, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and at the request of the committee representatives of the town of Dracut will be present at the meeting. The secretary of the committee has sent an invitation to residents of the town to affiliate in order to extend the celebration within the lines of Dracut, and the following will attend next Sunday's meeting: George H. Stevens, Navy Yard; John W. Brennan, Collinsville; and Asa Stickney, Centre village.

One of the residents of the town in speaking about the proposed joint demonstration of Centralville and Dracut, said in his opinion it would be better to have one big celebration, not only for Centralville and Dracut, but the entire city, for he said there is no doubt but that the city folks will want to honor their sons in khaki when they reach Lowell, and unless one celebration is prepared, there will be a repetition. He said he does not believe in having what would be called a factional celebration, but that all should get together in preparing one great event that would do honor to both Lowell and Dracut. This matter may be brought up at next Sunday's meeting of the Centralville committee.

Dracut's Tax Rate

The members of the board of assessors will start on their annual tour of the town April 1 and it is expected that when they complete their work they will announce a reduction in the tax rate. Last year's rate was \$23.46 per thousand, and inasmuch as the budget for the present year exceeds that of last year by only \$5000, it is believed that the assessors can find new taxable property and in some instances increase valuations in order to more than overcome the increase, so that Dracut is almost assured of a lower tax rate this year.

Mills of the Town

The plant of the Merrimack Woolen Co. in the Navy Yard district is running full time and some of the departments are kept busy nights. It was learned that the company is now working on samples and that it has on the payroll a full complement of help. The same thing cannot be said of the Beaver Brook mills in the Collinsville district, however, for only about half the plant is in operation, and at that on a short week. It is believed, however, that it will not be a great while before normal conditions are resumed.

Supper and Entertainment

The members of the Delta Alpha club of the Dracut Centre Congregational church Sunday school, have made arrangements for a supper and entertainment at Grange hall next Wednesday evening. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock under the direction of a committee headed by Mrs. Harry Fox. Later a delightful sketch entitled "Twelve Old Maids" will be given by the talent of the class. The entertainment committee consists of Mrs. James Walsh, Jr., Mrs. Thomas Varnum and Mrs. Ida Whitney.

Ladies' Aid Society

The regular monthly supper and entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Hillside church in Navy Yard, will be held next Wednesday evening in the vestry of



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Middlesex Farm Bureau

An open meeting under the auspices of the Middlesex farm bureau was held last evening in Grange hall, Centre village. The affair was largely attended and proved very interesting. Representatives of the bureau were present and they gave valuable information concerning farming in general.

ADDRESS OF HOMAGE CIRCULATED

ON EX-KAISER'S BIRTHDAY, RECEIVED 436,912 SIGNATURES

BERLIN, March 21.—The address of homage circulated on the occasion of the former emperor's birthday received 436,912 signatures, it is announced. The address and signatures will be bound in a series of 37 volumes and sent to Amerongen.

OVERSEER LAKE HONORED

A banquet and testimonial was tendered William F. Lake, overseer of the weaving department of the Brookfield Woolen Co. in Warren street, at the Harristown hotel last evening. It was a farewell party, as Mr. Lake is leaving the company to assume a position as superintendent of the Berkshire Woolen Co. in Pittsfield. Mr. Lake got the surprise of his life, for he had been lured to the hotel under the impression that he was to keep an appointment with the paymaster, Wilfred B. Maynard. Mr. Maynard was as good as his word, but he brought fully 50 friends of the overseers with him, and during the evening he presented Mr. Lake a handsome traveling bag and outfit on behalf of the gathering.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY

The Victory club of the Grace Universalist church gave a St. Patrick's day party Wednesday evening in the church vestry. Some sort of entertainment filled every moment and refreshments were served between times. The members of the club who helped make the affair a success were: Herbert Lewis, Dorothy S. Leeds, Marie Richardson, Elizabeth Chadbourne, John Weinback and Bruce Kimball.

Hon. Ferguson Haines of Bloddeford, who is a great solitaire card player, says that within the past 50 years he has played something like one million five hundred and ninety-nine thousand games.

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An Interesting Assortment of Spring Suit Modes

While "straightline" Suits are well represented in this showing of late Spring Modes, we are also offering the new blouse effects which are so smart just now. Velours, tricotines, novelty checks are shown, as well as all wanted colorings. Jackets are all handsomely lined with silk and many of the modes are braid trimmed or embroidered.

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Henna, a striking shade of green, Victory rose and French blue, are a few of the lovely new colorings which furnish much of the appeal to be found among these delightful Blouses. Smart women still cling to Georgette crepe as the fabric of fabrics for their Blouses, but printed chiffons and voiles are also interestingly featured.

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CARS VERSUS SKIRTS

"Tight Skirts Tie Up Traffic," Says Efficiency—"Zaim So!" Says Dame Fashion

BY BETTY BROWN

They're at it again! Street car companies complain that the new light skirts tie up traffic and disrupt their car schedules, because women take longer to get off and on the cars.

"It's not so," flames Dame Fashion. "The new light skirts and the silk knickers we wear with them help us get on cars quicker than ever. No petticoats to gather up and pull aside—we just hop on. We can tell the silly old car companies that if their schedules are held up it's the men's fault—not our. For the first time in the history of street cars the men don't push and crowd us off and on cars. They all stand aside and let the ladies go first! So now!"

"I'll say the street car companies

are finding a poor excuse when they blame it onto clothes women wear!" says this modern vision boarding the car in her "hobble skirt." "You don't see me wasting time gathering my skirts up around me before trying to get on the car, do you? No skirts to step on. Nothing to do but jump right on the step and inside. For convenience I'm for this outfit in getting on and off cars quickly. The men don't know."

"And for me," says Miss Wide Skirt, "it is absurd, it's silly to blame it on the shape of the skirt."

HEARD OVERSEAS SECRETARY
Rev. W. Earl Pittenger, a former pastor of the Centralville M.E. church, but for the past year a Y.M.C.A. secretary overseas spoke last night before his old parishioners. A reception and supper preceded the lecture, and Rev. Mr. Pittenger took much pleasure in meeting the members of the church and a number of outside friends. Rev. W. F. Whitney, the present pastor, introduced the speaker, and the latter held the interest of his audience for an hour and a half. He spoke particularly of England's part in the war and said that especially at this time, when the peace conference is sitting, there

should be signs of the greatest harmony between Great Britain and the United States. He said that the stories told by American soldiers belittling the valor of the English Tommy may be true in a large measure, but he explained them by saying that the prime

of the American army saw the tall-end of the British army in action. The church vestry was decorated with colored bunting and flowers. The following members of the Ladies' Aid society were in charge of the supper: Mrs. Russell Fox, Mrs. Charles Peters, Mrs. Fred Colburn, Mrs. Albion Gregory, Mrs. Frank Healey, Mrs. W. F. Whitney, Mrs. Albert Swapp, Mrs. Arthur Huser, Mrs. Sarah M. Whitman, Mrs. Eliza Jenkins and Mrs. Mary Curran.

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—Bobby

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Salute to Flag and The Star Spangled Banner.

The Audience.
Piano solo, Dixieland in France.
Recitation, The Red Cross Nurses.
Edith Farrington.
Victrola selection, Out, Out, Marie.
Piano solo, Long Day.
Song, "Lil Lum Lum."
Duet, Qui Vive.
Gertrude Tighe and Wesley DeGarga.
Song The Rose of No Man's Land.
The Victory Girls.
Victrola selection, Out, Out, Marie.
Piano solo, Long Day.
Wesley DeGarga.
Song, Good Morning, My Zip, Zip, Zip.
Bobby Snyder.
The Audience.

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Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out 'fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of Danderruff at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After several applications the hair stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff.

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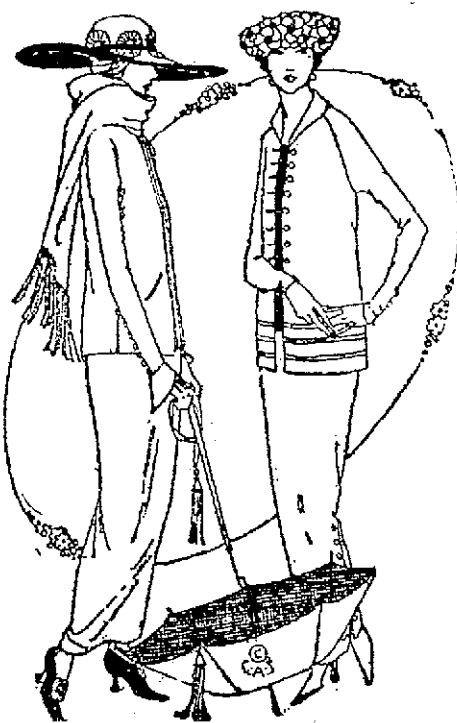
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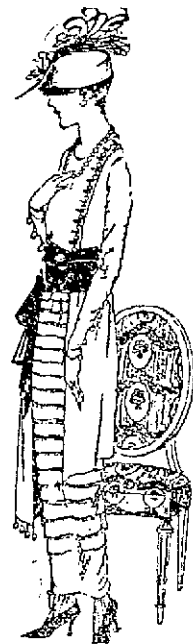
And go to \$5.00

New Serge Dresses for Spring

Many of the new styles are particularly suited for misses. The Russian style, with the sash, is the most popular. Irregular panels are also well represented.

These dresses are all of serge; embroidered, braid trimmed, cable stitched or button trimmed. Many of the dresses are collarless. Prices are

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Coats for the Girl from 6 to 14 Years are Very Smart—They are of navy all wool serge or shepherd checks in brown and tan or black and white combinations. Fashioned with silk poplin collars, fancy pockets, high waist lines, deep belts and plenty of button trimming. They are priced at \$3.98, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10 and upwards

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Ladies' French Top Suits, cuff at knee and shell, sleeveless, at \$1.00 regular size, and extra size\$1.25

Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, sleeveless and low neck, short sleeves. Extra sizes45c

Ladies' Jersey Knit Pants, lace trimmed, at38c Pair

Ladies' Fine Mercerized Sleeveless Vests, French top, at...\$1.00 Each

Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Sleeveless Silk Vests, at...\$1.75 and \$2.25 Each

Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Bodices, at 38c regular and45c extra size



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Numerous styles and colors, including the new victory red. Priced from

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West Section

Right Aisle

New Silk Poplin DRESSES

These dresses have all the new features of the higher grade models, though priced a third less, including the straight line effects and pretty tunics, finished with deep folds. Colors are: Navy, black, taupe, heaver and Burgundy. The showing includes a splendid assortment of outtrou styles. Priced at

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WEST SECTION

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New Arrivals in WAISTS



Including charming models in an assortment of materials and colors, showing all the latest designs. There are scores of pretty styles in all sizes.

New Embroidered and Lace Trimmed French Voile Waists, always serviceable and attractive, \$3.98 and \$5.00

New Round and Square Neck Georgette Waists, with little tucked vestees; button trimmed. Decidedly new creations\$5.00

Beautiful Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists, with round or square necks; some finished with colored pipings, in all the popular colorings including bisque and the new league blue. \$7.50, \$10 and upwards

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Ladies' Cape Gauntlets, in grey and tan, at\$3.75

Ladies' Washable Cape Gloves, in ivory, tan, grey and heaver, at\$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25

Ladies' Duplex Gloves, in all shades, at\$2.00

Ladies' Chamoisette Gloves, in all shades, at\$1.25

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Italians Threaten To Quit

Continued

be essentially a Croatian city and necessary to the new Juco-Slav state as according to the only feasible suitable sea outlet for her commerce.

Italy Refuses to Yield

On the other hand there has been no disposition on the part of Italy to yield her point so far as Fiume is concerned. Her attitude was officially stated by Premier Orlando in addressing the Italian chamber of deputies on March 1. He declared that while Italy remained faithful to the spirit of coalition which inspired the treaty which Italy entered the war that did not mean that she could remain intransigent to the appeal reaching her from the Italian town on the Gulf of Quarnero (Fiume) which was "exposed to the loss of both its nationality and independence."

Council Adjusts Bitter Feud

There have been several "incidents" at Fiume and other points in the territory claimed by both Italy and Jugoslavia since the signing of the armistice, and the feud at one time grew so bitter that Italy established a blockade and cut off food relief imports for the interior. This matter was adjusted

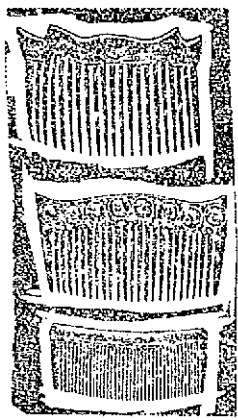
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Catsup 23c

WELL TRIMMED LEAN

Shoulders, lb. 22c

HATCHET BRAND PORK and

Beans, big can, 25c

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Pound ... 40c

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SWIFT'S

FOWL

To Fricassee

Per
Pound 32c

LEGS OF

SOUTHDOWN

MUTTON

Per
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NATIVE

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HAMS

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ORANGE

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TEA

Three
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Tenderloin

Steak, lb. 35c

Steak

Whole Round

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STEW

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STEAK

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Germans Send Note to Entente

RASLE, March 21.—The president of the German armistice commission at Spa has presented a note to the inter-allied delegates asking if Germany should consider as true statements in the French and British press that the peace treaty will be ready for the Germans as soon as President Wilson approves but the Germans will be allowed neither to discuss nor modify the document.

Famous Rome Choir Coming to U. S.

NEW YORK, March 21.—The Sistine choir from Rome will make a concert tour of the United States beginning in May under the auspices of the dignitaries of the Catholic church.

The choir which is the oldest and most famous known to the Christian world, is composed of 32 choral chaplains. For centuries it has had the exclusive privilege of singing at the ecclesiastical functions at which the pope officiated in person. It was founded by Sylvester, whose pontificate extended from 314 to 325.

Refugees Made Money in England

LONDON, March 14.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Belgian refugees who fled to England at the beginning of the war, have made their residence profitable, according to testimony in court at Hemptstead, where fifty of them appeared today for not paying income taxes.

Women, it was testified, made as much as \$1500 a year while, it was not uncommon for men to earn from \$2500 to \$3500. The court ordered them to make amends forthwith.

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Wash Boiler, with wooden handles, size No. 7, reg. price \$1.75. Sale price \$1.39
Wash Boiler, with wooden handles, size No. 8, reg. price \$1.98. Sale price \$1.49
Wash Boiler, with wooden handles, size No. 9, reg. price \$2.25. Sale price \$1.65
Cups and Saucers, limited for Saturday only, 1-2 doz. to customer, first quality 15c Pair
Glass Wash Boards, reg. price 65c. Sale price 49c
Zinc Wash Boards, reg. price 65c. Sale price 49c
Galvanized Water Pails, 10 qt., reg. price 55c. Sale price 39c
Galvanized Water Pails, 12 qt., reg. price 60c. Sale price 45c
Galvanized Water Pails, 14 qt., reg. price 69c. Sale price 49c
Bread Boxes, white, size 1, reg. price \$1.25. Sale price 90c
Bread Boxes, white, size 2, reg. price \$1.35. Sale price \$1.00
Bread Boxes, white, size 3, reg. price \$1.50. Sale price \$1.15
Large Size Chamber, reg. price 50c. Sale price 25c
5 qt. Cooking Kettle, reg. price 85c. Sale price 45c
6 qt. Cooking Kettle, reg. price 75c. Sale price 55c
8 qt. Cooking Kettle, reg. price \$1.25. Sale price 90c
10 qt. Cooking Kettle, reg. price \$1.50. Sale price \$1.00
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ed by the supreme council in Paris, however, and the reports of late have indicated that an amicable settlement of the conflicting Italian-Jugo-Slav claims was probable.

Territorial Adjustments

Just what has caused the Italian delegates to announce their determination on the Fiume question at this time has not been developed in the Paris advice. It is known, however, that the question of territorial adjustments has been before the conference of Premiers which have been taking place during the past day or two. A despatch received last night from Paris regarding a conference yesterday between President Wilson and Premiers Clemenceau and Lloyd George, stated that there was every reason to believe that the frontier issues were among the foremost obstacles which the conference were seeking to remove from the path to a rapid conclusion of the peace treaty.

Before the war Fiume was the chief seaport of the Hungarian kingdom. It has several harbors, and its position and facilities made it the seat of virtually the entire shipping trade of Hungary. It had an ante-bellum population of nearly 40,000.

TO END HOSTILITIES
IN POLAND

PARIS, March 14 (Havas).—A semi-official German note explaining the

reason for breaking off negotiations at Posen says it has been impossible to reach an agreement, especially regarding the presidency of the commission controlling the situation there. The Germans say they are considering the appointment of the president by Pope Benedict, while the entente nations desire the permanent inter-allied armistice commission to name the presiding officer. The supreme council planned to take measures today to end hostilities in Poland.

READY TO SIGN
TREATY MARCH 29

PARIS, Thursday, March 20.—(By the Associated Press) Col. E. M. House of the United States delegation, to the peace conference, told British journalists today he was convinced that the peace treaty, including the League of Nations covenant, would be ready for signatures on March 29, and added that he would be "disappointed if the Germans were not at Versailles three weeks hence."

Premier Lloyd George told the British newspapermen that he had decided to remain in Paris until the peace treaty was signed. He expressed the opinion that one of the reasons for the present labor difficulties in England was the fact that the treaty had not been completed, which led to a feeling of disquiet in that country. He said he was "unable to imagine that

labor leaders would resort to force at the present moment."

FAMOUS IRISH RELIC
SOLD AT AUCTION

LONDON, March 14 (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Curio collectors had an opportunity of obtaining a famous Irish relic at auction here this week. This is the "golden bell" which, according to tradition, descended from heaven and was used for obtaining information when all other means failed.

On one occasion a pair of saddlebags with \$1700 was stolen and, as all inquiries were useless, the priest stated he would swear all his flock on the bell on Sunday. On Saturday night a man came and said: "Father, there is no occasion for the golden bell; here is the money, every bit of it, all safe and sound."

DRAFT FREEDOM OF
TRANSIT CLAUSES

PARIS, March 21.—A draft of clauses regarding freedom of transit to be inserted in the treaty of peace was considered today by the peace conference commission on the international regime of ports, waterways and railways. The clauses were presented by the British delegation.

The commission on international la-

bor legislation today considered the final draft of the labor clauses to be included in the treaty.

WANT DELEGATES AT
PEACE CONFERENCE

LONDON, March 21.—German Austria, according to advice received here quoting Berlin newspapers, has expressed a desire for independent representation at the peace conference. It desires also that the question of its union with Germany be postponed until the conclusion of the conference.

TAGUE-FITZGERALD
HEARINGS POSTPONED

BOSTON, March 21.—The hearings on the contested election of John F. Fitzgerald to succeed Peter F. Tague in the 10th congressional district, were postponed indefinitely today. Congressman Tague who ran on stickers as an independent candidate, protested the election of former Mayor Fitzgerald, alleging voting irregularities, and the congressional committee on elections ordered the hearings before yesterday. The postponement today was at the request of counsel for Fitzgerald.

It was explained that the postponement was desired in order to permit of the preparation of evidence and that the hearings might be resumed at any time on 24 hours' notice to opposing counsel.

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Martens Say Bolsheviks
Wants To Buy Supplies
in United States

NEW YORK, March 21.—As the first step toward obtaining recognition by the United States, the Russian soviet government is prepared to deposit \$200,000,000 in gold with American and European banks for the purchase of supplies needed in reconstruction work, according to a formal statement issued here last night by L.C.A.K. Martens, American representative of the Demidoff Iron and Steel Works in Moscow, through the "bureau of representatives of the Russian socialist federal soviet republic."

Asserting that he had received this week his appointment as official representative of the soviet government in the United States, Mr. Martens said he had forwarded his credentials to the state department and meanwhile had opened temporary headquarters in this city.

With the conditions he said he had sent a report on conditions in Russia and an expression of his government's desire "to re-establish normal relations between the two countries."

Anxious For American Aid

Mr. Martens said that in addition to the \$200,000,000 to be deposited to defray the cost of initial purchases, the soviet government was prepared to submit various propositions, which he said he hoped would prove acceptable to American manufacturers and exporters, looking toward establishment of credit for additional government purchases.

Outlining his plans, Martens said he intended soon to establish permanent headquarters in this city on a scale commensurate with the purchases he intended to make. His plans, he added, called for appointment of a "commercial attaché" and organization of a "board of trade of soviet Russia."

According to Martens, who asserted that despite "silly" reports concerning the soviet government, it had "laid firm the foundations for a well-ordered development of their society," and he was "empowered to state" that his government "is sincerely anxious to have hostilities cease in Russia and to enter into agreements with the American government for the peaceable withdrawal of American troops in Russia."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

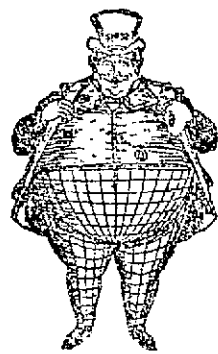
B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A clown without a parallel is Toto, who performs his extraordinary feats on the stage at the B. F. Keith Theatre, this week. Toto not only excels as a pantomimist, but as a contortionist he has few equals. The kiddies like him immensely and more than one grown-up has been to the theatre a couple of times to see him. "His Royal Trouble," in which Wilfred Clarke & Co. appear, is a speedy little farce, without a moral, charming in its simplicity. Mention who is in the support of Mr. Clarke, is not only splendid to the eye, but an admirable actress. The orchestra of Marion Harris in her southern manner is thoroughly enjoyed by everybody. Miss Hart is a real personality—there is no doubt of it at all. Quite the most charming character seen here in a long time is that offered by Arthur Stone, who, with Marion Harris, plays "Green Goods." It is a side-splitter every minute of the time. Guerrero & Carmen have a high class instrumental offering, and Norton & Noble open up the bill with a pot pourri of comedy. New Klugegrams were offered yesterday.

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY

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Ships Demanded by
Entente Nations

BERLIN, March 21 (via Copenhagen).—The German steamers Burgermeister von Melle and Burgermeister Schroeder which were scheduled to sail on March 18, in accordance with the agreement reached at Brussels between German and inter-allied food commissions, have been prevented from leaving Hamburg, owing to a resolution passed by seamen refusing to operate ships demanded by the entente nations.

Some newspapers protest against the resolution and say it represents the will of a small communistic section, and that it is strongly disavowed by other seamen's constitutions. The Hamburg section of the Transport Workers' union has lodged a protest against the action of the seamen.

HAMBURG, Wednesday, March 19.—At a mass meeting of seamen today, the following resolution was passed: "Today's mass meeting of seamen of all descriptions refuses to participate in the delivery of German merchant ships, demanded by the entente and declares it to be the duty of all seamen and laborers to refuse to carry out work on those ships."

The resolution was passed on the ground that there was no guarantee that Germany would receive any food except the initial delivery.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A regular business session of the members of James A. Garfield Women's Relief corps was held last evening, with the president, Mrs. Almira Killpatrick, in the chair. Routine business was transacted and arrangements were made for the department convention to be held in Boston, April 8 and 9, and the Middlesex County association meeting to be held in Elks hall.

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Cambridge, March 25. In the afternoon whilst was enjoyed and later supper was served, Mrs. Anna Cheney acting as hostess.

Lowell Socialist Local
Chairman E. Sproule presided over the regular meeting of the American branch of the Lowell Socialist local, which was held at 22 Middle street last evening. Three new members were initiated, several resolutions were passed and it was announced that the next meeting will be held on the evening of March 27.

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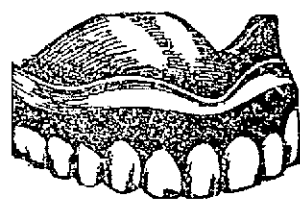
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PRIVATE CLOUTRE
DIED IN FRANCE

Private William H. Cloutre of the 35th Field Artillery, 8th Division, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cloutre of 435 Moody street, died in France from broncho-pneumonia March 2, according to a telegram received last evening by his parents from the war department at Washington. Private Cloutre was 21 years of age, and previous to his entering the military service he was a master painter and decorator. He went to Camp Dix Aug. 15 last year, and shortly afterward sailed for overseas. He was to return to this country aboard the Pocahontas, which landed at Newport News, Va., March 8, but illness prevented him sailing. The young man is survived by his parents, two brothers, Private Leo Cloutre, now in France, and Joseph A. Cloutre of this city.

LABOR UNION MEETINGS

Fifteen new members were initiated at last evening's meeting of the Painters' union and several applications for membership were received. The meeting was presided over by President Robert Moore and routine business was transacted. It was announced that a

special meeting of the organization will be held Thursday evening, March 27th.

Trades and Labor Council
President Francis A. Warnock occupied the chair at the regular meeting of the Trades & Labor council, which was held last evening. Routine business was transacted and it was announced that the election of officers for the ensuing six months will take place at the next regular meeting of the council.

Blacksmiths' Union
Routine business was transacted at the regular meeting of the members of the Blacksmiths' union which was held last evening at labor headquarters in Central street.

101ST LADIES' AUXILIARY

The 101st Ladies' Auxiliary held its regular meeting last evening at the war work building in Merrimack street with the president, Mrs. William H. Merritt, presiding. A flashlight picture of the members of the auxiliary was taken to be inserted in the program of welcome which the auxiliary is getting out in connection with the home-coming of Co. M. The following

committee was appointed to be members of the reception committee at city hall this evening when General Edwards is to come: Mrs. William H. Merritt, chairman; Mrs. George B. Marshall, Miss Mollie O'Sullivan and Mrs. John Givinar.

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NEW ENGLAND NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST

The casualty list released for today does not contain the names of any Lowell soldiers.

Died of Disease
Pr. William P. Lacey, High St. Passaic, N. J.
Pr. John L. Lacey, 25 Beacon St. Portland, Me.
Pr. Napoleon B. Lacey, 200 East School St. Lowell, Mass.
Pr. Herbert V. Ward, 149 Wilson road, Fall River, Mass.

Wounded Severely
Capt. Charles J. Cayer, 9 Park St. Hyde Park, Mass.
Pr. William C. Cayer, 2 Florence St. Rockland, Me.

Missing in Action
Pr. William H. Ryan, 50 Essex St. Lawrence, Mass.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action
Capt. Antonio L. Lewis, 202 New Boston St. Lowell, Mass.
Pr. George A. Stripling, 27 Spring St. Woburn, Mass.
Pr. John H. Troy, 7 Funder St. Brockton, Mass.

Sick in Hospital, Previously Reported Missing in Action
Cor. Frank A. Stevens, Bar Harbor, Me.
Pr. Stanley E. Keyes, 150 Pleasant St. Claremont, N. H.
Pr. Walter P. Lacey, 357 Hampshire St. Lawrence, Mass.
Pr. John E. Shaw, 12 Beckett St. Portland, Me.
Pr. Charles E. Trobel, 16 Field St. Torrington, Conn.
Pr. Carl Tucker, 51 Phillips St. Providence, R. I.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined)
Ser. Raymond E. Shappell, Deep River, Conn.

Wounded Slightly
Capt. Thomas Q. Ashburn, Boston, Mass.
Maj. William J. Stevens, 50 Templeton St. Dorchester, Mass.
Ser. Wynnan N. Balfour, 1501 Columbus St. Boston, Mass.
Pr. Eugene E. Smith, 471 Broad St. East Weymouth, Mass.
Ser. Fred E. Tart, 21 Sloan St. Pittsfield, Mass.
Pr. Frank Baratta, 23 North St. Proctor, Vt.
Pr. Frank R. Barry, 41 Orchard St. W. Lynn, Mass.
Pr. James J. Barry, 6 Maryland St. Dorchester, Mass.
Pr. Theodore Biederski, 254 East Barrett St. Westfield, Mass.
Pr. Arthur S. Dias, 55 North Court St. Fall River, Mass.
Pr. James J. Barry, 23 Elm St. Roxbury, Mass.
Pr. Edward P. King, 36 High St. Haverhill, Mass.
Pr. Augustus Leo, Skowhegan, Me.

Wounded Slightly
Cor. George C. Ayres, 47 Oak St. Springfield, Mass.
Pr. Frederick M. Earle, Roxbury, Mass.
Pr. Walter J. Moneys, 4 Linwood St. Worcester, Mass.
Cor. George Smedley, 13 Snowhill St. Boston, Mass.
Maj. Frank Meneur, 52 Barr St. Manchester, N. H.
Wagoner Bernard A. Ash, Shelburne, Vt.
Pr. John H. Gadin, 293 Madison St. Pittsburg, Mass.
Pr. Ernest J. Gadin, 29 Randall St. Worcester, Mass.
Pr. Leon L. Lockman, 134 Dorchester St. South Boston, Mass.
Pr. Stryker E. Pierce, 5 D St. Framingham, Mass.
Pr. George N. Smith, Canton, Vt.
Pr. Charles E. Tweney, 27 Warren St. Lynn, Mass.
Pr. Harry H. Barker, Greenstone, R. I.
Pr. Mark A. Burkett, 698 Massachusetts Ave. Boston, Mass.
Pr. Jos. A. Earle, 1223 Pawtucket av. East Providence, R. I.
Pr. Hughie McDonald, Port Fairfield, Me.
Pr. Mark N. Shannon, 24 Brownville Ave. Lynn, Mass.

Lowell, Friday, March 21, 1919

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At 50¢ Each—Ladies' Corset Covers, very fine materials, nicely trimmed, also camisoles, satin and silk, 75¢ value.

BRASSIERES AND BANDEAUX
At 35¢ Each—Ladies' Brassieres and Bandeaux, made of fine material, hampburg trimmed, regular 50¢ value.
At 50¢ Each—Ladies' Brassieres and Bandeaux, fine material, nicely trimmed, 89¢ value.

LADIES' DRAWERS
At 25¢ Pair—Ladies' Envelope Drawers, made of good cotton, lace and hampburg trimmed, 39¢ value.
At 35¢ Pair—Ladies' Drawers, made of good cotton, embroidery trimmed, 50¢ value.
At 50¢ Pair—Ladies' Drawers, made of fine cotton and cambric, hampburg trimmed, 75¢ value.

ENVELOPE CREMISE
At 35¢ Each—Ladies' Chemise, good material, lace and hampburg trimmed, 65¢ value.
At 55¢ Each—Ladies' Envelope Chemise, trimmed with fine lace and embroidery, made of fine nainsook, \$1.25 value.
At \$1.00 Each—Ladies' Envelope Chemise, made of very fine nainsook and nicely trimmed, made in large assortment of patterns, \$1.50 value.
At \$1.25 Each—Ladies' Envelope Chemise, very fine nainsook and batiste, trimmed with fine lace and embroidery, \$2.00 value.

LADIES' WHITE SKIRTS
At 85¢ Each—Ladies' Long White Skirts, made of fine material with deep lace and hampburg flouncing, \$1.25 garments.
At \$1.00 Each—Ladies' Long White Skirts with deep embroidery and lace flouncing, made of fine material, \$1.50 value.
At \$1.25 Each—Ladies' White Long Skirts, made of very fine cambric, deep lace and embroidery flouncing, \$2.00 value.

LADIES' NIGHT GOWNS
At 69¢ Each—Ladies' Night Gowns, cut full size, made of good nainsook with dainty embroidery trimming, \$1.00 value.
At 85¢ Each—Ladies' Night Gowns, nicely trimmed with fine lace and embroidery, \$1.20 value.
At \$1.25 Each—Ladies' Night Gowns, made of good fine cotton, hampburg trimmed, \$1.75 value.

CAMISOLES
At 39¢ Each—Ladies' Camisoles, silk with lace trimmings, 50¢ value.
At 85¢ Each—Ladies' Camisoles, made of very fine quality of crepe de chine and satin, large variety of patterns and trimmed with very fine lace, \$1.50 value.

SHIRT WAISTS
At 75¢ Each—Ladies' Shirt Waists, fine lingerie, batiste and voile, made in very latest models, \$1.25 value.
At \$1.50 Each—Ladies' Shirt Waists, made in large assortment of styles, fine tub. Jap. and crepe de chine, \$2.98 value.

MIDDY BLOUSES
At 59¢ Each—Ladies' and Misses' Middy Blouses, made of good quality of twill jean in large assortment of styles, \$1.00 value.
At \$1.00 Each—Ladies' and Misses' Middy Blouses, made of best quality of twill jean, \$1.50 value.

LADIES' PETTICOATS
At 75¢ Each—Ladies' Petticoats, made of good merized sateen, odd lots of the \$1.00 garments.
At \$1.19 Each—Ladies' Petticoats, colored and black, made in several new styles, fine merized sateen and heatherloom, \$2.00 value.
At \$1.50 Each—Ladies' Petticoats, taffeta ruffles on heatherloom tops, large assortment of colors, \$3.00 value.
At 59¢ Each—Ladies' Petticoats, made of good flannelette, white and colored, \$1.00 value.

HOUSE DRESSES
At \$1.00 Each—Ladies' House Dresses, made of gingham and percale, \$2.00 value.
At \$1.50 Each—Ladies' House Dresses, made of best quality of percale and gingham, all new fall styles, \$2.00 value.
At \$1.50 Each—Ladies' House Dresses and Wrappers, made of good heavy flannelette, \$2.00 value.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES
At 39¢ Each—Children's Dresses, sizes 2 to 14 years, made of good gingham and percale, 75¢ value.
At \$1.00 Each—Children's Dresses, made of fine quality of plain chambray and fancy plaid gingham, in all new fall styles, \$2.00 value.
At 89¢ Each—Children's White Dresses, made of fine lace and organdy, nicely trimmed with fine lace, \$1.50 value.

LADIES' KIMONOS
At \$1.00 Each—Ladies' Long Kimonos, made of good heavy flannelette, in good assortment of patterns, sateen trimmed, \$1.50 value.
At \$1.50 Each—Ladies' Long Kimonos, made of extra heavy flannelette, in very handsome design, satin trimmed, \$3.00 value.

LADIES' BATH ROBES
At \$3.00 Each—Ladies' Bath Robes, made of Beacon blanketing in all this season's patterns, trimmed with satin, \$5.00 value.

CHILDREN'S SLEEPING GARMENTS
At 79¢ Each—Pajamas and Night Gowns, made of good quality of outing flannel, in very new styles, \$1.00 garments.
At 59¢ Each—Children's Night Gowns and Sleeping Garments, made of good outing flannel, 89¢ value.

ROMPERS
At 59¢ Pair—Children's Rompers, made of fine galatea, poplin and ripplette, \$1.00 value.

BLOOMERS
At 39¢ Pair—Children's Bloomers, fine chambray and sateen, 50¢ value.

LADIES' BLOOMERS
At 59¢ Pair—Ladies' Bloomers, made of fine pink seer silk and batiste, \$1.00 value.

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Bathed in the warmth and cheerfulness of a friendly sun, Spring came to us today. Its coming has been forecasted for some time, for the winter just passed has been that in name only, yet a new and more gripping sense of security against wind and storm is evident as the new season is born. After days of rain and cloud the contrast is still more marked and now it seems that the sun had been kept in hiding these past few days just to give it added brilliance as it ushered in the most beautiful season of the year.

Harbinger of summer days, holder of a magnetic influence over the lives of young men and girls, we greet you and wish you well. May you prepare our lands for a generous planting and guide us happily into vacation time.

CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES OF DUCHY OF LUXEMBURG MAINTAINS COUNTRY'S AUTONOMY

PARIS, March 21.—The chamber of deputies of the Duchy of Luxembourg has voted unanimously to maintain the country's autonomy.

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DEATHS

NAVY—Mrs. Mary J. Mellen Nawn, an esteemed resident of this city, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 240 Stevens street. She was born in St. Peter's parish where she lived until two years ago when she removed to St. Margaret's parish. She has always been interested in church affairs and will be missed by a large circle of friends. She leaves her husband, George H. Nawn, three daughters, Katherine E., Miss M., and Mary V.; two sisters, Miss Catherine Mellen and Mrs. Martin F. Conley and a brother, F. Joseph Mellen, all of this city.

LANE—Mrs. Bridget Lane, widow of Patrick Lane and an old resident of St. Patrick's parish, died last evening at her home, 22 Phillips street. She

leaves one son, John F. Lane and five daughters, Mrs. John Mullen, Miss Catherine F., Helen E. and Mrs. Joseph Cashman of Lowell and Mrs. John Smith of Newton. Upper Falls; two brothers, John and Patrick Murphy of Schenectady, N. Y. and one sister, Mrs. David W. Matthews of Worcester.

CLARK—Thomas J. Clark, a well known resident of this city, and prominent member of St. Peter's parish, died this morning at the Boston city hospital after a very brief illness, aged 48 years. He leaves to mourn, his wife, Mrs. Margaret Clark, six daughters, Mrs. Edward McSorley, Mrs. Almar Marr, and the Misses Margaret, Blanche, Mary A. and Helen Clark, all of this city; one son, Thomas F. Clark, in the United States navy; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Quimby, of Burlington, Vt. and Kate Clark of this city and one brother, John Clark, and several grandchildren. He resided at 45 Prospect street, this city. The body was removed to this city and taken to the funeral parlors of Undertaker William A. Mack, 70 Cochran street.

CLARK—Mrs. William Clark, nee Girard, aged 55 years, died this morning at her home, 52 Lee street. She leaves her husband, two brothers, Abraham Girard of Nashua, N. H., and Joseph Girard of Derry, N. H.; four sisters, Mrs. George Dandella of Haverhill, Mrs. Laferriere and Mrs. Hebert and Miss Rose Girard of Manitoba. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Joseph Albert in Aiken street.

CARUFFE—Mrs. Caruffe nee Adele Trepanier, aged 61 years, 5 months and 7 days, died today at her home, 226 Cushman avenue. She leaves her husband, seven daughters, Misses Anna, Lucia, Marie Louise, Blanche, Annette and Corinne and Mrs. Wilfrid Lussier; two sons, Emilie, of this city, and Louis of Oregon.

FUNERALS

BARRETT—The funeral services of Mrs. Hannah Barrett took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertakers Young & Blake. Rev. James Bancroft, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, officiating. The bearers were: Messrs. William Myers, John Brown, Henry Robertshaw and George Scott. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery, where the burial service was read by Rev. Mr. Bancroft.

FELCH—The funeral of Mrs. Abbie Felch was held from the rooms of Undertaker George W. Henley, 79 Branch street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Walter E. Woodbury, pastor of the North Street Baptist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. Fred L. Roberts. The bearers were John Varum, Rose Varum, Henry Varum and George Rose. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery.

MERRILL—The funeral services of Osborn Merrill were held at his home, 410 Bridge street yesterday afternoon. Rev. William C. Townsend, pastor of the Central Methodist church, officiated. Miss Etta Thompson sang "Lead

CROSS, FEVERISH CHILD IS BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated give "California Syrup of Figs."

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

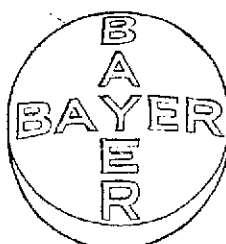
When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleanser" should always be the first treatment given.

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SHOP AT LOWELL'S MOST PROGRESSIVE STORE AND SAVE MONEY.

Kindly Light" and "Nearer My God to Thee." The floral tributes were very beautiful. The bearers were: Herbert Merrill, Charles Abare, John Crawford and Frank Hamblett. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery, where Rev. Wm. C. Townsend read the committal service. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

BISSENETTE—Alice Bissette, infant daughter of Zephiah and Alice Flynn Bissette, died March 19th at the Lowell Corporation hospital, aged 9 days. The burial took place Tuesday afternoon in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

BURNS—The funeral of Joseph Burns took place this morning from his home, 115 Suffolk street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Joseph's church at 8 o'clock by Rev. Rosario Jalbert, O.M.I. The bearers were: Fred Dube, Samuel, William and James Burns, Bruno Ayotte and Annette Roud. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. L. N. Rachand, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

GUNNINGHAM—The funeral of Mrs.

Ellen Cunningham, who died March 13 in Seattle, Washington, took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church, where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Peter Linehan. The choir under the direction of Mr. James E. Donnelly rendered the Gregorian mass, the solo being sustained by Mrs. Elizabeth G. Brown, Miss Mary Rynne and Mr. Donnelly. Miss Gertrude Quigley presiding at the organ. The bearers were: Dominick P. Roche, Patrick F. Walsh, John C. Kelly and James P. Richards. At the grave Rev. P. Linehan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

DWYER—The funeral of Lieut. Timothy Dwyer took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, 23 Sidney street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town. The cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by the pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Bernard McLoher, O.M.I., as deacon, and Rev. William Mahan, O.M.I., as sub-deacon. An organ choir, under the direction of Mr. John Kelly, rendered the Gregorian mass. The solos of the mass were sustained by Miss Mary E. Burke, James Donnelly, William Cookin, Miss Kathleen Jennings, John Patton, Miss Bessie Finnegan and Miss Katherine Sharkey. Mr. J. J. Saunders, L.P.D., and former Commissioner Lawrence Cummings. The bearers were: Dominick, Patrick O'Loughlin and John Lowrey from Truck 1, Lawrence street fire house, Capt. William Dolan and Lt. Edward Jennings from Hook 1, Lawrence street fire house, and William Heelon of Steamer 1, Cochran street. At the grave Rev. Fr. Flynn, O.M.I., read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

NAVY—The funeral of Mary J. Mellen Nawn will take place Monday morning from her home, 240 Stevens street at 8:15 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Margaret's church at 8 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

LANE—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget A. Lane will take place Monday morning at 10 o'clock from her home, 22 Phillips street. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertaker James P. O'Donnell & Sons. Motor cortege.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, desire publicly to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for their acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during our hour of affliction in the death of our beloved wife, daughter and sister. We deeply appreciate the kindly efforts to lighten our burden of sorrow and we ever hold them, one and all, in loving and grateful remembrance.

PATRICK MCGINNIS,
OWEN MCGINNIS,
EDWARD MCGINNIS.

RECEIVED REQUESTION

Purchasing Agent Edward H. Foy has received a requisition from the cemetery commission for a number of plants for the Edison cemetery to be delivered and planted by May 29. Among the varieties wanted are geraniums, heliotropes, dracaenas, large and dwarf marigolds and castor beans.

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Stanley, Cotsack, 4 Fenwick street, employed at the Saco-Lowell shop, had his right hand crushed while at work this morning. He was taken to the Lowell hospital in the ambulance.

A still alarm was sent in at 11:55 this morning for an insignificant fire in a barn in West Fourth street, owned by Robert Bartlett. Engine 5 responded. There was practically no damage.

One of the oldest buildings at the plant of the Lowell Gas Light Co. in School street, is being torn down. The building, which contained a gas holder at one time, has not been used of late and the company feels that it can make better use of the land than the building.

The Moore Steam Turbine Co. of Wellesville, N. Y., has sent in a bid to Purchasing Agent Edward H. Foy on the centrifugal "booster" pump wanted by the water department.

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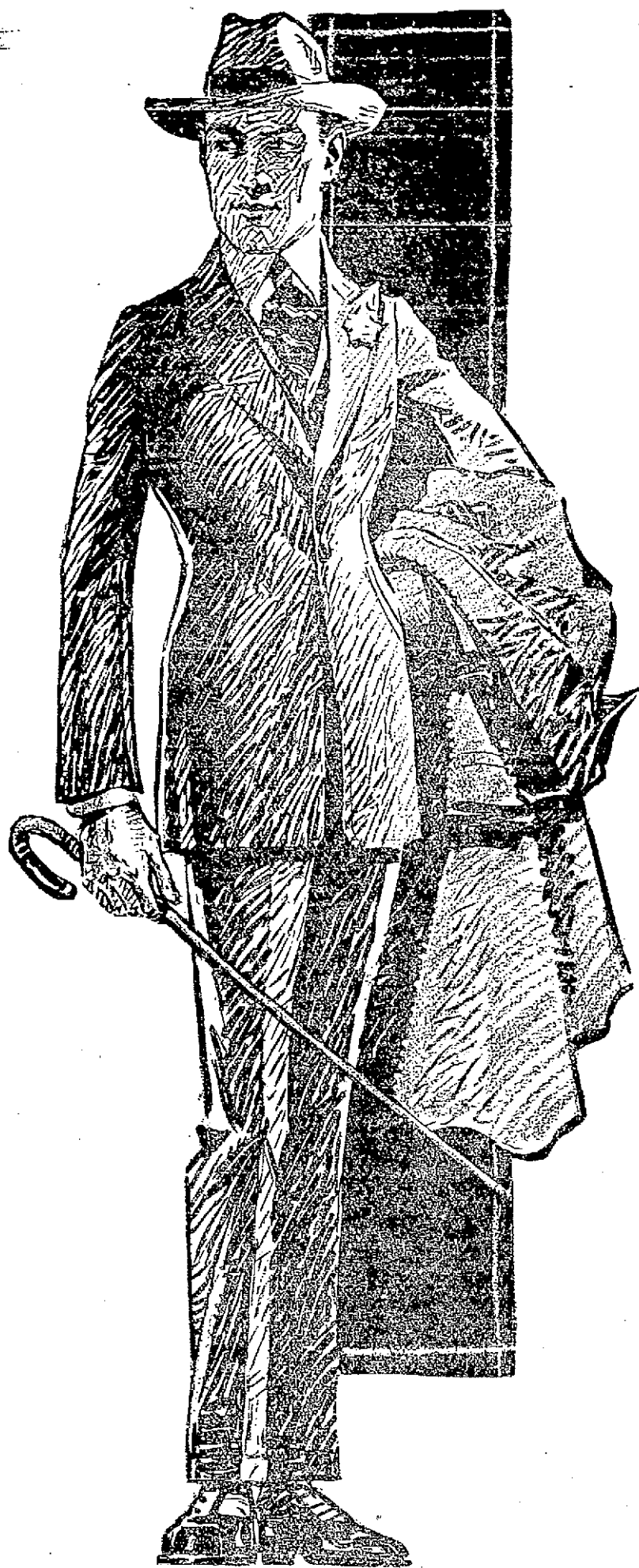
Mothers' Advice

The responsibility for a daughter's future largely rests with the mother. The right influence and the information which is of vital interest to the daughter imparted at the proper time has not only saved the life but insured the success of many a beautiful girl. When a girl's thoughts become sluggish with headaches, dizziness, or a disposition to sleep, pains in back or lower limbs and a desire for solitude, her mother should come to her aid and remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, will at this time prepare the system for the coming change and start this trying period in a young girl's life without pain or irregularities. Thousands of women residing in every part of the United States bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtues of this medicine, and what it has done for their daughters.

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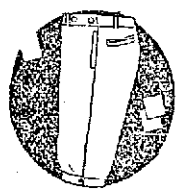
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CHAMBERLAIN'S BITTER ATTACK ON BAKER

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, chairman of the military committee, made public yesterday a letter to Secretary Baker in which he charged the secretary with being under the influence of reactionaries opposed to changes in the army court-martial system, with acting in bad faith toward congress and with ordering an investigation which the senator said in his judgment was designed to destroy Lieut. Col. Samuel T. Ansell, "the man who exposed the injustice of the present system."

With his letter, Senator Chamberlain gave out a copy of a telegram received from Secretary Baker, now on an inspection trip on the Pacific coast, declining to make public immediately a reply by Col. Ansell to statements made by Mr. Baker and Judge Advocate General Crowder. In response to a message from Senator Chamberlain asking that the Ansell letter be published, Secretary Baker telegraphed:

"More than a year ago I asked of the military committee of both the senate and house legislation to correct the evils of the present court-martial

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Take it yourself and give it to the children for it's a purely vegetable laxative that acts gently, yet effectively, driving out all poisonous waste matter and making you feel better right away. Thousands of men and women retain their youthful looks and feelings by regulating their system each spring with this safe, reliable family remedy.—Adv.

HOW MY HEAD BUZZES!



When the head feels thick or aches, when one feels all out-of-sets—perhaps a coated tongue—it is the signal poisons are accumulating in the system, and should be cleaned out at once. When the system is on what is often called "a low tone"—when toxins (poisons) cause headache, bad taste in the mouth, poor appetite, it is time to "clean house."

Auto-intoxication can be best ascribed to our own neglect or carelessness. When the organs falter or fail in the discharge of their duties, the putrefactive germs set in and generate toxins—actual poisons, which fill one's own body. It is then that the more serious consequences begin.

Sleepiness after meals, flushing of the face, extreme lassitude, biliousness, dizziness, sick headache, acidity of the stomach, heartburn, offensive breath, anemia, loss of weight and muscular power, decrease of vitality or lowering of resistance to infectious diseases, disturbance of the eye, dyspepsia, indigestion, gastritis, many forms of catarrh, asthma, ear affections and allied ailments result from auto-intoxication or self-poisoning.

Take castor oil, or a pleasant vegetable laxative, called Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which are composed of May-apple, aloes and jalap. One of the very best treatments which all doctors will agree upon is to take castor oil or P. P. P. (Pierce's Pleasant Pellets).

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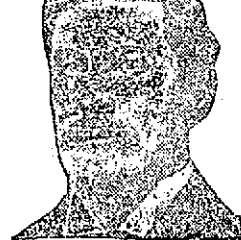
My treatment will relieve that depressed, tired, sleepy feeling, giving you renewed energy and vigor, a result of the loss of your superfluous fat.

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Indigestion and practically all forms of stomach trouble, say medical authorities, are due nine times out of ten to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach. Chronic "acid stomach" is exceedingly dangerous and sufferers should do either one of two things.

Either they can go on a limited and often disagreeable diet, avoiding foods that disagree with them, that irritate the stomach and lead to excess acid secretion or they can eat as they please in reason and make it a practice to counteract the effect of the harmful acid and prevent the formation of gas, sourness or premature fermentation by the use of a little Bismarck Magnesia at their meals.

There is probably no better, safer or more reliable stomach antacid than Bismarck Magnesia and it is widely used for this purpose. It has no direct action on the stomach and is not a digestant. But a teaspoonful of the powder or a couple of five grain tablets taken in a little water with the food will neutralize the excess acidity which may be present and prevent its further formation. This removes the whole cause of the trouble and the food digests naturally and healthfully without need of pepsin pills or artificial digestants.

Get a few ounces of Bismarck Magnesia from any reliable druggist. Ask for either powder or tablets. It never comes as a liquid, milk or citrate and in the bisulphate form is not a laxative. Try this plan and eat what you want at your next meal and see if this isn't the best advice you ever had on "what to eat."

For sale at Liggett's Reading-Jaynes Drug Store and other leading druggists.—Adv.

Secretary Baker has written an opinion in which he demonstrated that the power of supervision to correct evils was given in existing law, but that the secretary either ordered or permitted General Crowder to write an overruling opinion.

"Advised to do the proper thing by your chief law officer, and having been shown by him the way to do it," said the letter, "you declined to do so upon some slight legal technicality. This is evidence to me that you did not desire to do so."

SEC. BAKER REPLIES

Says Chamberlain Himself
Caused System of Court
Martial To Be Enacted

YUMA, Ariz., March 21.—Secretary Baker, who is on an inspection tour of army camps, replying to charges made yesterday, in Washington, by Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, chairman of the senate military affairs committee, that the secretary was under the influence of reactionaries opposed to changes in the army court-martial system, said that the senator himself caused the system to be enacted.

Secretary Baker and his party passed through here late last night on the way to El Paso.

Secretary Baker's statement follows:

"I cannot permit myself to be drawn into a newspaper controversy with Senator Chamberlain about officers of the army to whom I hold an official relation and whose conduct I must judge dispassionately and upon all the evidence I can obtain.

"That duty is mine and not Senator Chamberlain's, and I shall perform it unbiased and unharmed by abuse or acclamation.

"It is important, however, to note that the system of courts martial and of military justice which the senator attacks, is one which he himself caused to be enacted in 1915, when it was presented by me as a reform and a moderation of the previously existing irregularities.

"It is also important to note that

Easy Way to Remove Freckles and Eruptions

Some women have skin of such texture they occasionally are annoyed by the sudden appearance of freckles, slight eruptions or fine lines. March winds usually play havoc with skins of that kind. In such cases if one will procure an ounce of common mercurochrome wax at any drug store, apply a little of it before retiring, like cold cream, she can easily overcome the trouble. When the wax is washed off the next morning, dark skin particles come with it. The entire outer cuticle is removed in this way in a week or so, with all its defects. No bleach could so effectively remove freckles or blemishes. The new surface is smooth, clear, fresh looking. No harm or inconvenience accompanies this simple treatment.

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the amendment which I sent to Senator Chamberlain as chairman of the military affairs committee of the senate more than a year ago, and more than a year before the occasion for the present discussion, has, so far as I know, never even been presented by him to military affairs committee for consideration."

KING AND QUEEN GUESTS OF GEN. PERSHING

CHAMONT, France, Thursday, Mar.

20.—King Albert and Queen Elizabeth of Belgium arrived here last night for a visit to General Pershing at his chateau. They made the trip by motor car, the weather being unfavorable for the journey by airplane as they had contemplated. They were accompanied by Col. Tilkens, aide-de-camp to the king, a second Belgian officer and Countess de Carmen-Chemay, lady-in-waiting to the queen. They were met at the great entrance of the chateau by General Pershing and his personal staff, dined quietly and passed the night in the chateau.

Snow fell heavily here in the hills of the upper Marne all last night, but this did not interfere with the reception given the Belgian royal guests today at the Chateau city hall. The little city was brightly decorated and the streets were crowded with visitors from nearby towns, including many American troops from neighboring cantonnements. Nearly all the French and American officers of the staff were present and the American headquarters band furnished the music. Hundreds of school children lined the city hall square, waving Belgian and French flags.

The Belgian royalties, after the reception at the city hall, went to the

FRAUDS BY PRIVATE INCOME TAX ADVISERS

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Fraud or misrepresentation by private income tax advisers in many cities has been reported by revenue officers and investigations are to be made by United States attorneys. Prosecutions are probable in a number of cases.

Private tax advisers reaped a harvest, last week during the rush of citizens to file their income returns. Revenue officials charge that many of them were guilty of illegal practices in leading citizens to believe that their offices were branches of the revenue collector's organizations and in leading taxpayers in making out false or misleading returns.

Officials explained that the criticism did not refer to banks and reputable business institutions which gave great aid in spreading correct information on the tax system.

To make a repetition of this condition impossible next year, internal revenue Commissioner Roper plans to build up an organization of thousands of volunteers to be given class instruction on tax regulations for dissemination to tax payers.

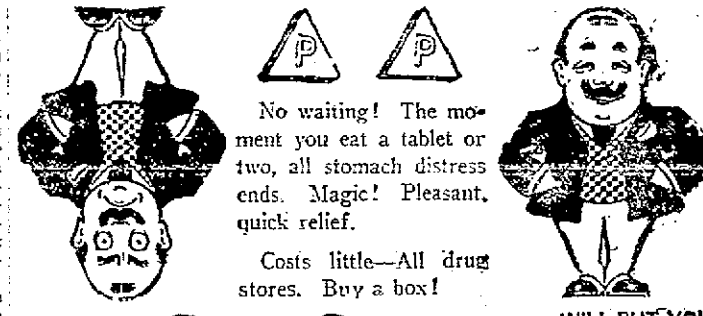
"It must be made as easy to pay taxes as to buy postage stamps," he said.

Courban airdrome and reviewed the 81st American division. They then returned to the chateau and took tea with General Pershing, his staff, the local civil and military authorities and the chiefs of the allied missions.

Brazil's great wealth in coffee is due to a monk who planted two seeds in a Rio de Janeiro monastery garden in 1724.

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Women Conductors Continue Fight

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 21.—The Women Conductors' association plans legal proceedings, unless women are reinstated on Cleveland cars Monday, in accordance with the decision of the war labor board. Miss Rose Moriarty, adviser of the women, said that a formal demand upon the company would be made today.

Named Governor of Alsace-Lorraine

PARIS, March 21.—Alexandre Millerand, formerly minister of war, is reported to have been appointed governor of Alsace-Lorraine, an office which was declined by Charles C. X. Jonnart, former French governor-general of Algiers.

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

BOYLE IN GREAT FORM LONDONS MAY APPEAR TRIMS JOHNNY BUCKLEY HERE NEXT WEEK

Phineas Boyle, "the pride of Lowell," gave an exhibition of boxing at the Crescent A. A. last night that he and all his admirers may well feel proud of. He tackled Johnny Buckley of South Boston in a 12-round number and, while the Hub boy fought hard all the way, the local lad completely outclassed him, and left no doubt in the minds of the fans as to the winner of the bout. Boyle was in rare form, and boxed like a champion all the way. One in one round he did the work of ten, but in all the others he either had a pronounced lead or held his opponent to even terms. Boyle was particularly brilliant in the first, fourth, fifth, 11th and 12th rounds, and turned in about as classy an exhibition as one would care to see. He had speed, as well as power, stamina, and a fine assortment of blows. His footwork was perfect, and while he was a little off on distance at the start, he soon struck stride, and when he did he gave Buckley an artistic beating.

In the very first round Boyle caught his opponent a stunning blow on the chin which dropped him to the floor. This was the only knockdown in the fight. In the fourth round Boyle, too, had the advantage, as a result of landing a shower of well directed uppercuts and still rights to the mid-section. In the fifth round Boyle opened a wound over Boyle's eye, but before the round ended Boyle came to the front and was hitting hard as the bell sounded. Things proceeded pretty evenly until the 10th. Here Boyle again cut loose and he seemed to be able to land at will. He shot a fusillade of blows at Buckley, but the latter was a user for punishment and while he hung on toward the end, he showed wonderful defensive qualities. The 11th and 12th rounds found Boyle at his best and he gave Buckley a fierce beating. He was working like a machine, leading with his left to the head and crossing with the right to the body. Buckley clinched and hung on to save himself, but Boyle repeatedly shook him off and sent him flying with heavy blows. The boys were locked in a lively exchange of "toe to toe" battling when the bell sounded. Referee Phelan pointed to Boyle and the decision was given to him.

Frank Molins of Lowell and Girard Glavin of Lawrence went to a draw in eight rounds in the semi-final. It was a well contested bout, with a splendid decision.

Jim Griley of Lawrence and Young Mathews of Lowell appeared in the first bout. Mathews had a weight and reach advantage on the boy from down the river, but Griley, however, knew about the boxing game, and forced Mathews to adopt hugging and wrestling tactics. In the fifth round Mathews pushed Griley through the ropes and the referee showed excellent judgment in stopping the bout and pointing to Griley.

At the Lowell tournament over his opponent, Young Mathews of Lawrence, and the number went but two rounds with the Lowell boy winning.

Frank Roane made his debut as club announcer, and he did a fine job. He informed the members that the semi-final next Thursday will be between Tommy Flanagan of New Bedford and Kid Lee of Chelsea and the main event between Eddie Morgan of Philadelphia and Young Britt of New Bedford. New England's lightweight champion.

Ray Cass, the new matchmaker, was introduced and he got a great hand.

Over Boston
LAWRENCE, March 21.—Cal Read of Boston was given the decision over Fred Dyer of Australia, in a 12-round bout last night.

SALEM WINS FROM LAWRENCE, 9 TO 5
SALEM, March 21.—Salem won from Lawrence in a fast game of polo last night, 9 to 5. Williams and Purcell starred for Salem, while Quigley and Blount played best polo for Lawrence. The lineup:

SALEM			
Alexander, Jr.	1r.	Fahrner	Williams, Jr.
Quigley	2r.	Quigley	Quigley
Cusick, hb.	3r.	Harrell	Purcell, g.
Purcell, g.	4r.	Blount	Rushes, Alexander, Jr.
Blount	5r.	Fahrner	Stops, Purcell, Blount, 4s.
Goals, Alexander, Jr.	6r.	Williams, 6s.	Jeau, 1r.
Quigley, 4r.	Fahrner, 4s.	Fouls, Jean, Williams, Harold, Hardy.	

POLO LEAGUE STANDING
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Salem 10 2 50.0
Providence 4 4 50.0
Worcester 2 2 50.0
New Bedford 2 2 50.0
Lawrence 2 2 50.0

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS
Salem 9, Lawrence 5.
Providence 12, Worcester 4.

TONIGHT'S GAMES
Worcester at Lowell.
Providence at New Bedford.

POLO NOTES
The "Jiggers" are with us this evening.

Higgins and Taylor, Worcester's star offensive duo, are playing great polo. The last time Worcester was beat it took extra time for Lowell to land the verdict. It was a nip and tuck battle all the way, and the winner could not be determined until the final goal rolled in.

It is expected that Asquith, who has been out of the game since last Saturday night, when he was injured, will be back in the lineup tonight. "Squid" has made a great hit here and the fans will rejoice to see him back in the breaking up play and doing his bit to help Lowell land the pennant.

There has been some talk of an inter-city series after the league event but as yet no definite plans have been made.

TENNIS ASSOCIATION
NEW YORK, March 21.—Representatives of the Australian Tennis Association have been invited to attend the meeting of the executive committee of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association here today. The presence of the Australians does not imply any change in the attitude of this country as to the Davis cup matches this year.

The executive committee will consider applications for sanctioned tournaments.

SQUASH CHAMPIONSHIP
NEW YORK, March 21.—The National Amateur Squash Championships will be decided here today by Harold Tobey of Princeton and John W. Appel, Jr. of Harvard in the semi-finals Wednesday. Each player won in straight games.

James Bryant, 7 years old, arrested at Burlington, Ia., charged with horse theft, suddenly recalled while in jail that 29 years ago he had deposited \$1000 in a local bank. An officer accompanied Bryant to the bank, and he found his account intact, with small interest accumulated.

POLO
At Crescent Rink
WORCESTER VS. LOWELL
TONIGHT

It now looks as if Lowell wrestling fans will be given an opportunity to see Jim London, the Canton, Ohio, grappler in action in this city next week. London appeared here a year ago against Dr. Roller and his wonderful exhibition against the wrestling physician made a big hit here, and brought many requests to show him again. The promoters tried hard to bring the pair back last year, and again this year efforts were made to bring on the team London was willing, but Roller failed to come to terms. London is now on his way east, where he has a number of engagements, and will be in Lowell next week. All the good ones realize that a victory or even a draw would be a great boost. London will meet Jack Leon at Manchester, N. H., on Monday night. Louis Gardini of Joe Maizevics are also challengers, and it is possible that one of these may meet London in Lowell.

BIG WRESTLING BOUT
Zbyszko and Lewis in Championship Match

NEW YORK, March 21.—Wladek Zbyszko and Ed Lewis will meet tonight at Madison Square Garden in a finish bout for the heavyweight catch-as-catch-can wrestling championship of the world. One fall will determine the winner, who will get all the prize money. In the event of no fall being gained, the management has announced that all charges for admission will be refunded.

TIGERS AND INDIANS
The Tigers and the Indians were the winners in the Mathews Bowling league last evening on the Kitteridge alleys. The Tigers locked horns with the Browns and got away with all four points, and the Indians had an easy time with the White Sox. The final match of the evening brought together two picked teams, made up of members of the league, and who styled themselves the Braves and the Giants. The Giants downed their opponents, but only after one of the most exciting matches of the season. Tomorrow evening two picked teams from the Quinette respectively, will clash at the Kitteridge alleys. The scores:

INDIANS			
Payton	89	102	294
Payton	87	95	253
Townsend	96	87	278
Tighe	75	76	248
Eastham	99	111	310
Totals	477	469	1396

WHITE SOX			
Cassin	80	82	262
J. Nestor	84	82	266
Trainer	90	94	284
Beggs	88	102	290
Sheehan	89	87	276
Totals	441	448	1368

BROWNS			
McCormack	92	83	275
Boyle	100	79	279
W. Finnegan	87	84	271
McKone	75	88	263
J. Finnegan	87	125	302
Totals	444	463	1320

TIGERS			
McCormack	93	90	283
Sullivan	79	87	266
Riley	95	83	278
O'Neill	88	81	269
Perry	92	113	305
Totals	467	470	1387

GIANTS			
Merrill	82	89	271
Hanada	91	101	292
O'Neill	82	95	277
McGovern	108	109	317
Kingwood	136	99	335
Totals	497	498	1484

BRAVES			
Mahoney	119	131	350
McKearney	85	82	267
Blaherty	83	85	268
Ryan	96	101	297
Bowers	104	95	312
Totals	488	495	1478

KITTERIDGE QUINNET LEADS
The Kitteridge quinet still holds the lead in the Kitteridge Minor Bowling league, with the Mathews but a few games behind. The standing and averages:

KITTERIDGE			
Mathews	29	9	\$1.2
Mathews	36	16	\$9.2
Mathews	28	29	\$5.3
Lawrence	25	27	\$7.7
Baldwin	15	29	\$10.0
Royal R's	14	37	\$5.8

Irish 103.23, King 103.1, Curry 103, Towars 102.17, White 102.13, Ringwood 101.20, Ryan 101.2, White 100.21, Panten 100.11, Riley 100, Dean 99.13, Mahoney 99.6, Eastham 98.34, Sheehan 98.26, J. McMahon 98, Neault 97.29, Gendery 97.10, Sewall 97, Swindell 95.27, A. McMahon 91.24, Scott 91, Steward 90.13.

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MUSTARDINE

URGE MAINTENANCE OF HOME GARDENS

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Maintenance of home gardens to meet the continued need for food, is being urged by the department of agriculture, in a nation-wide campaign. Federal garden experts said today that the interest was as great as last year, when the patriotism of war acted as an incentive. Pamphlets and other publications pointing out the necessity of continuing last year's war gardens are being widely spread by the department. Officials say that the need for home production of vegetables continues because while there are fewer American soldiers overseas, there are more hungry civilians now than before in other countries who look to the United States to furnish them with food. Moreover, it is said, the railroads of the country still will be overburdened and the state, county or town that feeds its people in feeding itself will aid greatly in reconstruction abroad and readjustment at home.

SHARP CRITICISM OF PRINCE MAX BY HINDY

BERLIN, Wednesday, March 19.—(By the Associated Press).—In Field Marshal von Hindenburg's statement explaining and justifying the flight of Former Emperor William there was a sharp criticism of Prince Maximilian of Baden, who was then chancellor, for publishing the fact of the emperor's abdication without the latter's assent. It is expected that this will evoke a sharp rejoinder from friends of the chancellor. They point out that the emperor left Berlin on October 31 without consulting or notifying the chancellor, who vainly attempted at the last moment to induce him to stay in Berlin and later unsuccessfully urged him to return to the capital in order that he might form his own judgment as to the extent of the crisis and the advisability of abdicating. "Prince Maximilian had long been convinced of the inevitability of the abdication of the emperor and the renunciation of the throne by the crown prince," says the Turkeblatt. "It was hoped by this means to save Germany from a complete debacle and a revolution. The emperor went to great headquarters to escape such advice and to seek a more congenial atmosphere. He dallied with the thought of abdication in these surroundings until too late to save the throne for a possible successor."

Perry Hutzell, an old resident near Meyersdale, Penn., recalling that he had hidden a pint of whiskey under a certain rock 60 years ago, went to the spot and found the bottle and contents intact. The whiskey was rich brown in color, and the flavor, Mr. Hutzell declares, could not be described on account of its rare deliciousness.

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53 Villa Rebels, Including Lopez, Killed in Battle

GUAREZ, March 21.—Colonel J. Agustín Mora, in command of the federal garrison here, has received a report from General Zuazua of a battle with the Villa rebels, which occurred Wednesday, 75 miles south of the Columbus, N. M., border. Fifty-three Villa followers were killed. Three bodies taken to Ascension, Chihuahua, were identified by residents as those of Martín López, Villa's second in command; Ramón Vega, a Villa general; and Epifanio Holguín, a bandit leader. Each force numbered about 500. The battle occurred at Boquilla del Marqueto.

According to General Zuazua, the battle lasted several hours before the

rebels ran out of ammunition and charged in an attempt to capture the federal mule train carrying ammunition. They were met by machine gun fire and compelled to flee. The federalists lost only 16 killed.

Martín López had been with Villa since boyhood, and for the last two years had been his personal lieutenant. It was López who first instituted the practice of dynamiting trains and robbing the passengers. López, with his brother, Pablo, participated in the raid on Columbus, N. M., in March, 1915.

Pablo was wounded, and was later captured and taken to Chihuahua City, where he was executed.

WEALTHY WOMAN LEADS LAWRENCE "PICKETS"

LAWRENCE, March 21.—The striking textile workers were led in their picketing of the mill district at the opening hour today by Mrs. Glendower Evans, a wealthy resident of Brookline. She was on the picket lines at 3.30 a. m. and headed a large crowd of strikers in a patrol of the mill houses for two hours. There were no disorders. Mrs. Evans, who is a stockholder in the Arlington mills, which are involved in the strike, said she would continue her active interest in the striking employees because she thought they should obtain their de-

TOTAL U. S. LOANS TO ALLIES \$8,932,410,660

WASHINGTON, March 21.—An additional credit of \$75,000,000 was given Italy today by the treasury department bringing the Italian loans up to \$1,496,500,000 and the total of credits to all allied nations to \$8,932,410,660.

INTERESTING TALK ON GOVERNMENT

William P. Barry, principal of the Pawtucket grammar school, gave a most instructive and interesting talk on government to members of the Thursday afternoon civic class of the League of Catholic Women yesterday. He showed the necessity for law for human happiness and to preserve the structure of the family, home and community. The development of government from the township to state and national government and the obligations and relations of the governing and governed were clearly explained. Dennis Callahan, master of the Tarbox school and principal of the evening high school in Lawrence, will give a lecture next Thursday afternoon. These lectures are free to members of the league. Information may be obtained from Miss Alice T. Lee, chairman, or Miss C. O'Brien, secretary of the civic committee.

Don't Let Soap Spoil Your Hair

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle. The best thing to use is just plain mulberry coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and costs the most expensive soap or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff. Adv.

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DISTILLERS TO TEST WAR PROHIBITION ACT

NEW YORK, March 21.—The committee of distillers of the United States, representing the entire distilling industry, announced last night that steps were being taken to attack the constitutionality of the federal prohibition amendment and the wartime prohibition act.

Levy Mayer of Chicago, counsel for the organization, was instructed to arrange for a suit to test the emergency prohibition law after the treaty of peace has been signed. Action to bring about a judicial review of the 15th amendment, it was stated, would await the outcome of referendum elections in 13 states where petitions calling for a popular vote on the "bone dry" enactment have been filed or are in circulation.

Mr. Mayer gave an opinion that if the wartime prohibition act is unconstitutional, manufacture of distilled spirits, forbidden by the president under the food conservation laws, could be lawfully resumed as soon as the war is ended.

In their discussion of measures to nullify the federal amendment, the distillers named California, Washington, Oregon, Nevada, Idaho, Utah, New Mexico, Colorado, Michigan, Ohio, Missouri, Maine and Nebraska as states where referendum petitions have been circulated. As 15 state legislatures ratified the amendment, nine more than the necessary three-fourths, the distillers' announced plan of action could not be carried out if the people of more than four states disapproved the decisions of their legislative bodies.

The distillers' attack on the war-time prohibition act follows the lines laid down by counsel for the brewers in their test suit filed here Wednesday alleging that the law, having been enacted after the signing of the armistice, went beyond the power of congress to adopt measures for the national security and defense.

Members of the distillers' committee declared the decision to withhold their litigation until the completion of peace negotiations was based on a desire to proceed only after the war emergency was formally declared a matter of history. It was said the suit would be brought against the collector of internal revenue and the federal district attorney "in some appropriate district."

U. S. AIR CASUALTIES AT FRONT TOTALLED 554

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Casualties in the United States air service personnel, serving with the American and allied armies at the front, numbered 554. Of the total, 171 men were killed in combat.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

A very pretty miscellaneous shower was held last evening at the home of Miss Josephine O'Brien, 40 Whipple street, in honor of Miss Irene Dunlop, who will soon become the bride of Mr. James Neenan. Miss Dunlop was the recipient of many beautiful gifts including linens, cut glass, silver ware and china. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion and a musical program was enjoyed. Those taking part in the musical program were as follows: Misses Noonan, Fitzgerald, Dunlop and O'Brien and Mae Bradley. The party broke up at a late hour, wishing the bride happiness and success.

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OLD ENGLISH REMEDY FOR CATARRH, CATARRH, DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

If you know of someone who is troubled with Catarrh of the Ears, head noises or ordinary deafness, cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. In England scientists for a long time past have recognized that catarrh is a constitutional disease and necessarily requires constitutional treatment.

Sprays, inhalers and nose douches are liable to irritate the delicate air passages and force the disease into the middle ear, which frequently means total deafness, or else the disease may be driven down the air passages towards the lungs, which is equally as dangerous. The following formula, which is used extensively in the damp English climate as a constitutional treatment and should prove especially efficacious to sufferers here who live under more favorable climate conditions.

Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Eucalypti (Double strength). Take this home and add to it 1 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar, stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and hearing improve as the inflammation in the ear is reduced and the ear drum is restored to its normal position. The preparation is easy to make, costs little and is pleasant to take. Every person who has catarrh of the ears or is hard of hearing should give this treatment a trial.

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Corp. Louis Coulbaret, Co. L, Ninth Infantry, Second division, has returned to Lowell, decorated with the Croix de Guerre and bearing the scars of two wounds as the result of hand to hand fighting with the Germans in the Toul sector last summer. Coulbaret had the thrilling experience of being captured by Huns in American uniforms, of being kept prisoner several hours and eventually effecting his escape by killing one of his captors with his bayonet.

Corp. Coulbaret formerly worked for the Father John's Medicine Co. in this city and enlisted in the regular army in June, 1917. Following a short period of training he went overseas the following September. He was sent into the trenches for study work in January and got his first taste of real warfare in April when his division opposed the oncoming hordes of Germans in the Toul region. It was shortly after this that he was wounded in the right leg by a machine gun bullet and was captured by a patrol of Germans. He finally escaped and

after six months in the hospital rejoined his company in June. In July he was wounded again, this time in the left leg. Again he went to the hospital and he was not able to resume a place in the front line before the signing of the armistice. But his services were not to be dispensed with as he was ordered to assist in training a quota of negro draftees. He landed in New York February 27 and is still attached to a casual detachment at Camp Dix, although he has recently enjoyed a few days' furlough. He pays a high tribute to the courage of the Greek boys in the American army.

WATERTOWN VOTES AGAINST ANNEXATION

WATERTOWN, March 21.—At the town meeting last night \$10,732.69 was appropriated for general administrative purposes and \$117,036 for educational purposes. The salary of the superintendent of schools, Wilfred Price, was increased \$500, making it \$2500. It was voted to increase the wages of town laborers from \$3.50 per day to \$4. Four thousand dollars was appropriated for this purpose. The question of the adoption of the limited town government policy, similar to Brookline's, was discussed, and it was voted to hold a special meeting April 5, for the purpose of acting upon this matter.

A report of the committee appointed to study the plan has been distributed among the voters.

The meeting also voted in opposition to the town's annexation to Boston and appropriated \$250 for legal fees to fight the move.

EX-SEN. BAILEY QUILTS DEMOCRATS

NEWARK, N. J., March 21.—Asserting that the democratic party has "ceased to support democratic principles," former United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, declared in

an address here last night that he would never again vote for the candidate of any party which constantly reduced our liberty and unnecessarily increases our taxes.

Mr. Bailey, who was the principal speaker at the "Victory Banquet" of the Road Horse association, blamed the democratic party for the passage of the prohibition amendment to the constitution and for the near-passage of the amendment granting suffrage to women.

DIED AT COPENHAGEN

The many Lowell friends of Charles E. Brassard of Manchester, N. H., will be grieved to learn of his death, which occurred March 15 at Copenhagen, Denmark, where he held the position of under secretary of the American legation. Although his home was in the Queen City, Mr. Brassard was well known here. At one time he was connected with the local French newspaper, L'Ettoile, and later he made frequent visits to this city as a representative of the firm of Quirin & Co., wholesale liquor dealers of Manchester. Deceased was a member of Club Lafayette, and is survived by his wife.

APRIL 8 SET AS DAY FOR GENERAL STRIKE

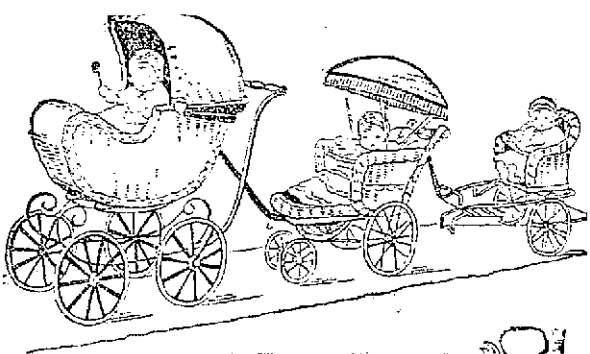
BASLE, Thursday, March 20.—A despatch from Berlin says that Spartacists have circulated handbills in the suburbs of Neukölln announcing that the general strike throughout Germany, the date of which originally was fixed for March 28, has been postponed to April 8.

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| Reed Strollers, reed hood and reclining back. | \$17.50 and \$20.00 |
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LODGE-LOWELL DEBATE

There can be no doubt that the Lowell-Lodge debate on the League of Nations has cleared the air on many of the points at issue. President Lowell, in bringing about the debate and defending the principle of the league with such eminent ability, has rendered a distinct service to the cause of world peace.

The great interest manifested in the debate was shown by the number of newspapers represented. Several of the New York papers had special writers there to handle the report, while newspapermen were present from cities as far west as Chicago. The newspapers of Paris and London had made special arrangements to get the reports as early as possible although, owing to the difference in time, the morning papers had not much opportunity to handle it.

Practically all of the morning papers we have seen, even including those of New York, fell down most flagrantly in giving a fair report of Mr. Lowell's discourse. He made the mistake of sending out a printed copy of his address in advance and this all the morning and most of the evening papers used, despite the fact that the address he actually delivered was very much different. He followed Mr. Lodge's arguments and replied to his points; but this does not appear in the report of his speech as printed in many of the newspapers. Thus it appears that Lodge was the debater and Lowell the academic essayist, which is very unjust to the Harvard man who is a tactful debater and an able logician.

The Sun writer condensed the speeches of both men fairly and gave all the main points of their arguments on both sides.

A feature of Mr. Lodge's speech that seemed to escape not only the greater part of the audience but most of the newspaper critics was that he presented a series of points on which he objected to the provisions of the constitution of the league and he gave them as points number one, two, three, etc., as "constructive criticism." With the exception of the first point which referred to more definite phraseology, Mr. Lodge's points were not constructive criticism at all. On the contrary if his objections were sustained there would be nothing left of the league except an international tribunal without force to back it up and without any obligation on the part of the nations to submit to international arbitration.

But President Lowell called the senator's bluff when he came out towards the close of the debate and asked him the two questions that pulled the props from beneath the whole structure of Lodge's criticism. These were:

1. Will you, Mr. Lodge, after certain amendments are made to safeguard the United States, state whether you will favor the ratification of the league?
2. Will you, Mr. Lodge, formulate the amendments you consider necessary to the league constitution and forward them to the peace conference at Paris?

To the first question Mr. Lodge answered affirmatively with an "if" and to the second, that it would be useless for him to present any amendments as he did not know what would be acceptable to the other senators. Thus Mr. Lowell forced the senator to throw off his rousing discourse and declare himself. As a result his rebuttal speech was an appeal for sympathy and more political than in the line of argument. It was an effort to come to his feet again and appear to be still in the fight after the knockout blow.

The general conclusion arrived at after listening to both speakers is, but the constitution of the league must undergo certain amendments, some in point of more definite state-

ment and others providing specific guarantees to satisfy the American critics.

In the first place the league is an innovation and its promoters must show that it will work good instead of evil to this country. The burden of proof in that respect devolves upon those who want the league adopted.

It was quite apparent from Mr. Lodge's attack on President Wilson because of ignoring the senate, that his criticism as well as that of other senators was based largely on pique.

Very likely, the president had good reasons for not seeking the advice of the senate. The republican leaders had done everything possible to obstruct the president in following out his idealistic policies. They were sternly opposed to his going to France, although he ventured to break the traditional custom in view of the importance of the questions to be decided at the peace table.

Senator Lodge practically admitted that had the president taken the senate into his confidence, everything would have been all right and there would be no attacks upon the League of Nations.

Through the force of arguments presented by President Lowell, Mr. Lodge came down to "brass tacks" so to speak, and admitted that if certain amendments were made to the tentative constitution of the league, he would favor its ratification. That was something he had not previously stated in public. Some two years ago, he did make a speech favoring a league of peace with force behind it, admitting that if it were a voluntary matter with the nations, the league would accomplish nothing.

Mr. Lodge, however, when routed in his main attack upon the league, brought out another reason to justify opposition. He claimed that the treaty with Germany should be concluded first and the League of Nations afterward; and he spoke as if he would oppose the treaty in case the constitution of the league were embodied with the German peace pact.

Thus it appears that Mr. Lodge managed to save the ground which the republican party has taken in opposition to the league by offering a new reason for opposing it regardless of its merits, and merely on the ground that it should be disconnected from the German treaty and presented separately for consideration in the senate.

Inasmuch as it has already been decided by the peace conference at Paris that the league constitution will be embodied in the treaty of peace, Mr. Lodge has thus reserved for himself and his party the privilege of opposing its ratification regardless of whether it shall contain the guarantees he has suggested.

Thus it appears that in his debate, Mr. Lodge kept in mind the policy and action of his party in opposition to President Wilson and the League of Nations. It would be against Mr. Lodge's principles to drop the political aspect of the question even for a minute. His appeal to sympathy towards the close of the debate by declaring his Americanism, that he is too old to divide his allegiance, was mere gallery play.

Could he question the Americanism of President Lowell, which he did by implication when he talked of dividing his allegiance between two flags?

Lodge made the best of a weak case, buttressing it very ingeniously with irrelevant statements that appealed to the gallery, but the strength of argument rested with his opponent.

ATHLETIC FIELD

The school board seems to be in favor of having an athletic field on the First street oval. The high school needs such a convenience and it would be of great benefit to the pupils of the school to have

one in such a central location.

There is no reason why this land could not be made available for school purposes. The Locks and Canals Co., under riparian rights, has reclaimed this land from the river and should be willing to lease it for a nominal sum, provided the city would grade it and make it suitable for an athletic field.

It is high time the city started work on some public project, whether in building school houses or doing something else. The spring is now upon us and nothing practical has been done in the direction of starting any building project or other line of public work for the city, with the exception of something in the street department.

The citizens of Lowell expect the municipal council to do something and do it quickly. They expect the school board to act rather than talk. Thus far, very little has been accomplished although several large undertakings await attention and should be taken up without delay, first, to meet the public necessity and second to provide employment for many of the men who are now walking the streets in search of work.

HONORING THE SOLDIERS

We do not think it is advisable in a city like Lowell for any particular district to have a celebration of its own in honor of its soldiers. Why not fall in line with the general celebration to be held when our soldiers return?

There is one difficulty in the fact that no part of the city can tell just when it will have all of its soldiers at home. Neither can the city as a whole, even guess remotely when a majority of those now in the service will have returned. They will be sent home in instalments and there should be one great big celebration that would be ample for every part of the city. It is not a usual thing in large celebrations, to overlook Centralville. Parades usually cross the bridge as far as Sixth street and, if it comes to a matter of localities, the Highlands, Pawtucketville and the South End might all complain of being ignored with more reason than could Centralville.

We want unity rather than division in our city. We all worked together through the war and it is just as essential for the good of our city and the benefit of everybody, that we should continue this spirit of co-operation and unity to promote the prosperity of our city now that peace has returned.

THE CITY CHARTER

The question of passing upon Plan B as against our present city charter will be referred to the voters at the next state election.

Some weeks ago, it was supposed that the legislature might submit the "Corbett charter," so called, to the decision of the voters, either at the state election or the municipal election following.

This charter, however, has been referred to the next general court without prejudice and with the concurrence of its promoters.

It now remains to accept or reject Plan B. As we have repeatedly stated, it is not a complete charter. It does not provide for municipal primaries. It does not lay down proper provisions for the management of municipal departments. If adopted, it would have to be amended at an early date. It will, therefore, depend upon the judgment of the voters as to whether they care to adopt Plan B this year and have it amended next year, or whether they wish to retain the present charter until they get the form they want through the legislature next year.

This is a matter that the voters will have to decide for themselves.

Undoubtedly there will be some politicians in favor of Plan B and some others in favor of retaining the present charter. Between these two forces, the voters will have to be the jury that will decide. It is to be hoped that they will study the question carefully and make a wise decision.

HITTING AT WILSON

Senator Lenroot is now informed that his proposition to have congress declare that the war is over would terminate the state of war and leave President Wilson nothing to do but order the boys home.

The constitution provides that congress can declare war, but it is the president and the senate that can terminate the war, which is done by treaty. The senators are at their wit's end to find some way of compelling the president to come to their feet. They are having a little success that many of them are venting their ire upon the League of Nations. By hitting that they believe they are getting square with Wilson.

"Too old to love any but the American flag, too old to divide my allegiance to America," said Senator

Lodge at Wednesday night's great debate. But not too old to continue to represent Massachusetts as senator, self evidently. Like George Coban sweeping in with the American flag to increase the applause, Senator Lodge evoked liberal applause too, by an old political and theatrical trick of speech, but logical students of the League of Nations need a better argument to become his convert than the asserted truth that his chief objection to the plan for a League of Nations seems to be that his fund of experience and knowledge was not drawn on when the league was planned.

Mary Nash, the actress now playing in Boston, invited eight New Bedford mill girls to come to Boston, lunch with her, see her show, and wind up by being photographed with her. The mill girls may not get hep to it right away, but this picture will be used to help boost Mary's drama. The idea was that it was thought in Whaletown that Mary was once a mill girl. But she never was. Play actin' has been her life work. If Mary Nash had wanted eight pretty mill girls to be her guests—eight of the prettiest mill girls in New England—she ought to have investigated Lowell as being headquarters for mill girl palehrtrade.

SEEN AND HEARD

This is the first day of spring. Isn't it a corker?

One man described the Lowell-Lodge debate as a "quixotic battle of the windmills," and another was heard to refer to it as "a tempest in a teapot."

A group of housewives were having tea together and talking over the events of the day. The question under discussion was as to who had done most to win the war. Some said Haig, others Reilly, others Foch. At last one woman chimed in:

"I don't know who's done most to win the war, but I do know who has been most talked about."

"Who's that?" came a chorus.

"Why, this here Alice Lorraine, who the French and Germans came to blows over."

The Only Graft He Could Get

He was a man of years. He drew a cigar from his pocket and gazed at it wistfully, longingly, then shook his head and replaced it in said pocket. Turning to his companion he said:

"Say, Bill, gotta segar?"

"Yes," said Bill, "but why don't you smoke that one you've got in your pocket?"

"Bill," said the other, "I'm an old man and this is the first time I've ever been in 'Gusty' in my life. I've been hearing of the wickedness and corruption and how things could be lugged out of the Maine state house all my life. Yesterday I was up to the capitol all day and the only thing I had give me, or had a chance to lug off, was this segar and I kinder mean to keep it as a souvenir."—Lowell Evening Journal.

Kind Neighbors

Mrs. Brookly was putting up cinnamon jam. Mrs. Yassum, next door, first smelled it over the fence.

"O, Mrs. Brookly!" she called. "You're putting up cinnamon jam! Sniff, sniff! How lovely! O, you must let me sample a glass immediately!"

Five minutes later Mrs. Nostr dropped in.

"I hear you've been putting up cinnamon jam, my dear," she gurgled. "Sniff, sniff! Um! Divine! I insist on carrying home a glass of it, Mrs. Brookly!"

Very shortly afterward Mrs. Teoch arrived.

"What's all this I hear about you putting up cinnamon jam, Mrs. Brookly? O, sniff, sniff! You know how I hate to carry parcels. Mrs. Brookly, so you may feel flattered when I tell you I know one little parcel that I'm going to carry out of this house immediately. Sniff, sniff, sniff!"

Within the next hour, in rapid succession, there arrived Mrs. Yuccatan, Mrs. Bloisoms, Mrs. Harmony, Mrs. Toothman, Mrs. Beefer, Mrs. Umpstander, Mrs. Label, Mrs. Binding and Mrs. Edges. They all sniffed admiringly and they all took away a jar of Mrs. Brookly's cinnamon jam.

Shortly after 6 o'clock Mrs. Brookly had to send little Waldo to the store for a jar of jam for his daddy's supper.—Detroit Free Press.

Trench Stitch

Sheerluck Bobb, the alleged detective, rarely rode on the street cars during the rush hours, preferring to walk and save time, but on this particular afternoon, finding walking rather painful because of a dislocated knee and a sprained ankle sustained in the notorious Shouter diamond case, he boarded a Whoopard street car.

Scarcely had he seated himself beside a fair young thing knitting a sweater, with a couple of sticks when she spoke to him.

"You'll pardon my boldness, won't you?" she said, "but aren't you Sheerluck Bobb, the alleged detective?"

"I am sometimes called so," he yelled.

"I knew you from your pictures!" she cried. "O, how thrilling for a little nobody like me to meet you face to face! To see the noble forehead that hides the colossal brain that can unravel mystery, the brain from which neither science nor man has any secrets!"

The alleged detective adjusted his tie modestly.

"I've just learned the correct trench-stitch," she continued excitedly. "Look, I'll explain it to you. See, you take two up and two down and snitchhold back, and then you double pass through this little loop and razele three, and then you drop one and a half and intersect, and by-pass four and turn under, and—"

Bobb slid off the seat unconscious.—Detroit Free Press.

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I Do Not Like Your Mother
I'm going home! Your maw says not to climb the gate-post none. And she fussed at me thest because I pulled the kitten's tail. An' she told me not to throw sticks an' make the collie run. An' she fussed 'cause I put my foot in the rainwater pail. An' she was mad because I put mud in the baby's hair. An' cause I took the clothes prop out an' let down all the clothes. An' cause she stepped onto my earl, where it was on the stair. An' she says to go home an' let my mother wipe my nose.

I do not like your mother! She ain't nice to folks at all! She says that children mustn't chuck at people goin' by. An' she got fussed because, she said, I made the baby fall. An' I cut off your eyebrow an' got your whiskers in your eye. An' I am goin' to go home to my maw, so I am. An' I will get a piece of cake an' won't give none to you! My mother loves me, an' she says 'at I'm her precious lamb. An' she don't fess an' holler at me everything I do.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

One of the rainy forenoons this week, an American soldier in uniform came to the back door of a home in Lowell we know very well and courteously taking off his campaign hat, asked the woman of the house if she had any work he could do. Why hunt for outside work in a pouring rain? Oh yes, that is all right, if one wants to waste time analyzing motives instead of helping a soldier find a job, but the fact remains that no one, soldier or whoever he may be, goes hunting work for the fun of it in the rain. It so happened the woman had no work for the soldier. Any other man asking for work, one might ask to step in and have a bite to eat, but one can't very well get so far away from the patriotic idea as to ask a man in the uniform of an American soldier if he is hungry.

If it were really necessary that this

mustered out man from the army had to go to Lowell's back doors hunting for work that would keep body and soul together, provide a place to sleep, and light off the temptation to become dishonest—if such a condition prevails—we are in rather of a bad way. Presumably this man did not get overdone. But he took his chance—the big chance of being killed—and the let-up of the war finds him ringing a city's back-door bells and asking women for work. One cannot run the risk of insulting a man in the uniform of the United States to ask him if he is hungry or if he will accept aims. We have got to get busier helping soldiers get jobs. Connie Cronin's telephone number—the federal employment agent—is 5007. If you have a job, even a day's work, for a soldier, or you know where there is one, telephone to Mr. Cronin. It's not necessarily helping France, Belgium or democracy but it's helping a person who may need it very, very badly, some Lowell boy who was willing to help save us from the menace of the double headed Prussian eagle.

If it rains four weeks from tomorrow, Patriots Day, following what is the usual custom for that day, the loneliest places in this man's town will be the barber shops. I mean that a necessary loneliness must pervade these convenient places because what little trade is coming with all the stores and principal business places closed, may be scared away by bad weather. The barbers' union met Wednesday evening and in conference with the master barbers' representatives, decided the barber shops could be kept open April 19 and for the full and regular Saturday hours. It was the next day that the barbers learned with surprise that the merchants and business people had decided to observe the holiday by suspending business although, as it so happens this year Patriots Day comes

just before Easter and if the stores had kept open would have been one of the best shopping days of the entire spring season. Barbers and merchants will no doubt both be surprised to learn that one of the officials of the clerks' association was recently heard to say that in his opinion he believed a majority of the clerks would be willing to work April 19, realizing that it was rather for their interest to do their share towards having all the goods sold that it was possible to sell.

This afternoon the remains of Judge Hadley were buried. We newspapermen were sorry for many reasons. Most of us were sorry because his passing means a loss of fine companionship, inspiration, access to a wonderful fund of vividly remembered municipal history and contact with a real man of the world. The judge was one of the few men who I personally know was not afraid to die and who was willing his spirit should go to answer when the call came.

Judge Hadley was privileged to spend the evening of his life in the way he would have selected if he had had access to the treasures of all the universe, amidst good friends, good books, loving daughters and in a modest home. I shall not forget my last visit to Judge Hadley. It was early evening when old folks and little children grow drowsy. I came into the judge's study to find him dozing peacefully and happily in his chair. He had read himself into a nap. But he heard my step and he promptly roused up and not apologizing for napping, as so many aged persons do, he at once attended to the business of telling me the information for which I had come. The loss of such a man is a community loss. Lowell is better because Judge Hadley carried here awhile. Shakespeare to the contrary, the good example of helpful citizenship is remembered even after men like Judge Hadley go on their long journey.

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BREAK OFF NEGOTIATIONS

German Refuse To Accept Allied Polish Terms—Germans Quit Posen

PARIS, March 21.—Under a Posen date of March 19 the Havas correspondent says that the Germans, having refused to sign the terms virtually agreed upon, the negotiations have been considered by the allies as broken off.

The correspondent adds that the Germans were quitting Posen immediately.

The interruption came at a time when a result seemed about to be reached. It is said that this was the result of the evasive attitude of the German government.

Despatches state that the German high command appears to be in open conflict with the Berlin cabinet, and will not undertake to respect an armistice between the Germans and Poles.

Must Include German Elements In making his report to the supreme allied council yesterday on the Polish question, Jules Cambon, head of the peace conference commission on Polish affairs, set forth the purpose of the commission to create a Polish state

which would have a firm foundation for its future welfare and at the same time to respect the principle of nationalities, despite the difficulties resulting from the geographical features of the Poland.

Therefore, he said, it was necessary to incorporate in the new state some German elements which, he reminded the council, had been introduced there by Germany herself with deliberate and in conformity with her colonizing system. In considering objections to the solution proposed, he argued, it should be remembered that the country already had been dismembered thrice.

Want No Pretext for Irredentism Premier Lloyd George agreed that Germany must not be given a pretext for organizing a sort of irredentist movement, especially east of the Vistula, where they were rather numerous.

The plan of the commission, it is pointed out, gives to Poland boundaries which render her territory more restricted than it was in 1772. It puts in her possession an outlet to the Baltic which along a considerable distance spans the Vistula to Danzig, but excludes the Allenstein territory, to de-

termine the position of which a plebiscite is proposed.

Mr. Lloyd George remarked that by connecting Danzig with Thorn and Warsaw by two independent railroads it would probably be possible to make Poland economically independent.

The commission's report will probably be discussed by the supreme allied council tomorrow. The question of sending to Warsaw the Polish army divisions which fought on the French front also is expected to come up then.

SOLDIERS DISCHARGED Among the Lowell soldiers who have served overseas and who have notified City Clerk Flynn that they have been discharged from the service is Joseph H. Lemire, who served as corporal with Co. K of the 104th Regiment, formerly the old Sixth Corp. Lemire

was a member of the national guard at the outbreak of the war having joined Co. K July 7, 1916. He went overseas October 2, 1917, and fought at Chemin des Dames, Toul, Apremont and Chateau Thierry. As a result of his experience he received a gunshot wound in the left shoulder.

WOULD BE CHAUFFEURS Among the 50 applicants for chauffeur licenses examined today by Inspector Russell of the state highway commission at city hall were a number of strikers from Lawrence who had decided to take up automobile work during the progress of the strike.

CARL IS BACK



Carl G. Slipp of Macartney Co., Lowell, Mass., who has been a member of our staff for the past six years, and has had charge of our Hat Department for three years is in "city" again.

Carl enlisted in the Quartermaster Corps in December, 1917, and was sent to Columbus, Ohio. He was stationed there until February, 1918, then was sent to Washington, D. C., where some of the main warehouses are, and because of his experience was assigned to the Depot Quartermaster Zone Supply Office, Washington, D. C.

In Washington supplies for the army are received from all over the United States and sent to different camps as well as abroad. He was made sergeant and had charge of all supplies that were received at this warehouse.

Carl says he didn't have time to put on much weight, but is mighty glad to be back and with his old friends again.

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Special Wind-up and Cut Price Sale ON ALL LEFTOVER GOODS

Ladies' Plush Coats, from \$35.00.....\$17.50
Ladies' Suits, from \$22.00.....\$8.98
Ladies' Dresses, silk or serge, from \$22.....\$8.98
Ladies' Big or Regular Sized Skirts, from \$5.00 to.....\$3.98
Ladies' Finest Wool Sweaters, from \$10.....\$5.98

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HOOVER WOULD KEEP FOOD PRICE CONTROL

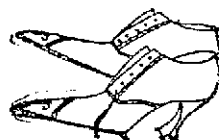
NEW YORK, March 21.—A cablegram from Herbert Hoover, director general of the international relief organization, expressing regret that this country had abandoned stabilization of hog prices and urging continuation of stabilization in sugar, cottonseed products and wheat, was discussed at a meeting here yesterday of executive officers of the food administration.

Pointing out that hog prices had risen since the stabilization plan was abandoned two weeks ago, Mr. Hoover's message asserted that if the only foodstuffs now controlled are thrown upon the market "without any steady hand," the dire need of the world may produce further dislocation and place an added burden on American consumers.

It was said that, with ocean transport still restricted, food must be shipped overseas in its most concentrated forms, but that when more tonnage became available, it was hoped such foodstuffs as beans, rice, and canned vegetables and fish, of which the United States has a surplus, may be sent abroad.

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INCREASE DEER FAMILY AT FORT HILL PARK

The park department is planning to increase its deer family at Fort Hill park again this spring and requisition has been sent to Purchasing Agent Foye for two white-tailed deer. In 1915 the department purchased five deer and at that time they cost \$20 each. Mr. Foye does not know just where he will purchase the animals, but if there is anybody in Lowell able to talk business on the subject, he would be glad to have them enter a proposition.

INFANT MORTALITY

Lowell's infant mortality rate for the week ending March 15 was 21.9 and placed her in fifth position among the large cities of the country. Milwaukee was in the lead with 32.8; Richmond second with 30.6; Seattle

Features of The Sun's Sunday Supplement Tomorrow

What to Eat in Lent

Ridley Bye set the old bean to working and as a result we print a full week's menu of tasty and nourishing things to eat during the season of food temperance.

What's Sleeping Sickness

The discoverer of it in America, Dr. Beverly A. Tucker has been cornered and gives a full and comprehensive description of this mysterious but not necessarily fatal disease.

World's Congress of Red Cross

It is to take place in Geneva, Switzerland, 30 days after the treaty of peace is signed. You may be sure the German delegates will have some explaining to do. One of the most important after events of the great war.

Quarter of a Century Ago

In the Quarter of a Century ago Old Timer reviews the contest for the location of the State Normal school which after a long night was settled about this time 25 years ago. He also tells of the visit of Louis Kossuth, the great Hungarian patriot, to Lowell and the great reception tendered him. There is another incident of the Navy Yard strike referred to last week and in which the operatives made a gallant fight for better conditions and higher wages.

The Great Debate

There is a great deal of interest in the discussion of the Lodge Lowell debate which will be reviewed by "Argus" in his special article in tomorrow's paper. The views of this able writer should be read by everybody and will sum up in a very incisive manner the general features of the debate and the weight of the argument on both sides.

Lady Lookabout

This week rather looking at things from a man's point of view, Lady Lookabout has come out strongly for Sunday baseball playing being legalized. She suggests that the state let the Jews observe Saturday as their official Sabbath so that on Sundays Jewish ball players can have games Christians can attend and enjoy.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Tonight, Saturday Mat. and Night

"WOMAN AGAINST WOMAN"

Saturday Matinee, Reception by Miss Elizabeth Ferris

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The Original DENMAN THOMPSON'S

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With The Famous Quartette

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The Sweetest Girl in Films

Barbara Castleton

In "GUST STEVENS"—Five Acts

CHAPLIN COMEDY "LIGHTNING RAINIER"

And others also

See the Cowboy Star in His Biggest and Best Screen Thriller

MONTAGNE LOVE IN "THE MAN WHO WAS SILENT"

See the Cowboy Star in His Biggest and Best Screen Thriller

third with 22.5 and Omaha fourth with 23.2. Albany was low with 2.1 and the average was 13.3.

HARRY GREAGMAN

Wishes to inform his customers that he has moved his Shoe Repairing Shop, which was located at 132 Powell St., to No. 103 Powell St., where he will be pleased to have his customers call.

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Assisted by Grace Menken & Co. in "JUS REEL TROUBLE"

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Featuring William Conklin

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Olympic Concert Orchestra

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You've STILL ANOTHER CHANCE to see the BIGGEST PICTURE that came to Lowell this week—we'll present

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J. Stuart's Blackton's masterpiece, filmed in eight massive acts.

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We're showing a regular star—

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In her very latest production

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It has powerful emotional situations, features the evil influence a secret brings to a married woman who did not dare tell her past to a loving and devoted husband, and has a timely, well-directed punch.

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And his co-stars, in the very latest episode of the big action-serial "MAN OF MIGHT"

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. At the Police Court of Lowell, holden at Lowell, in the District of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, on the Twentieth day of March, A. D. 1919, Joseph Bosse, of Lowell, in said County, Plaintiff, vs. William Bergeron, of Chelmsford, ss. Defendant, in an action of contract. This is an action of Contract to receive fifty-two dollars and sixty cents, alleged to be due to the Plaintiff from the Defendant on the sixteenth day of July, A. D. 1918, as set forth in the Plaintiff's bill of that date. And in appearing to the Court by the suggestion of the Plaintiff and on inspection of the officer's return on the Plaintiff's writ, that the Defendant has no last and usual place of abode, tenant, agent or attorney in this Commonwealth known to the Plaintiff or said officers; and that no personal service of said writ has been made upon the Defendant. It is ordered by the Court, here, that the Plaintiff give notice to the Defendant of the pendency of this action, and to appear before said Court, on the second Saturday of April, A. D. 1919, to answer to the same, by causing an attested copy of this order to be published in said Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in said Lowell, once in a week, three weeks successively; and that this action be continued to the said second Saturday of April, or until notice shall be given to the Defendant agreeably to this order.

EDWARD W. TRULL, Clerk. m21-24-25

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the devisees under the will and all other persons interested in the estate of Maria H. Merrill, late of Hill, in the State of New Hampshire, deceased. Whereas, Grace E. Welcome Mills, executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court a petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, upon such terms, and may be adjusted, the real estate of said deceased, for the purpose of distribution. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of April, A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And if you fail to appear, you are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested, who can be found within the Commonwealth, before or at least before said Court, and if any one can not be so found, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

P. M. ESTY, Register. m21-22-23

MORTGAGEE'S SALE By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Charles W. Pinkham and George B. Coburn to Martha M. Barker, dated October 8, 1918, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the Northern District of Middlesex County and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Book 270, Page 211, will be sold at public auction, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on the premises hereinafter described, on Saturday, the first day of April, 1919, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and being part of the premises described in said mortgage, to wit, Lots 1 to 72, inclusive, Lot 83 and Lots 87 to 89, inclusive, Lot 90, Lot 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908,

HUN ENVOY TALKS ON PLAN TO TAKE COLONIES

BERNE, Thursday, March 20.—In an interview printed in the new Gazette of Zurich, Prof. Walter Schuechling, a member of the German peace delegation, declares that he does not believe that President Wilson's program can be invoked to deprive Germany of all her colonies.

"Mr. Wilson has promised a broad, generous settlement to peoples like the Germans," he says. "Civilization rests on the efforts of all the great nations. The question of indemnity appears to have been settled in principle, all that remains being to fix the amount. As to the League of Nations, Germany is sincerely desirous of collaborating in the organization, and I hope the Paris covenant may be sensibly modified."

Professor Schuechling says he thinks the Swiss plan might possibly be consulted, as it is, in his opinion, quite remarkable, both on a judicial and political viewpoint. He says the real function of the treaty is to "bury imperialistic policies for the benefit of the smaller nations."

POTATO FERTILIZER DROPS \$36 A TON

CARIBOU, Me., March 21.—Something of a sensation was caused among the potato growers of Arrostook yesterday when the price of commercial fertilizer, which was held at \$96 a ton, took a sudden drop to \$60 a ton delivered here in parts, which cost about \$1 a ton to mix. This price was made on what is known as the 465 grade, containing 8 per cent of potash carbonate.

The price was made by a New York chemical house for immediate delivery in unlimited quantities and quoted to the new local union of the Arrostook Federation of Farmers. Orders for 300 tons were placed at once.

The drop comes too late to benefit the majority of farmers, who have already contracted for fertilizer at the old price for this year's crop, but indicates the restoration of normal prices for commercial fertilizer, which will insure potato raising at a profit under average conditions and market.

Instead of a loss as has been the case under war-time cost of production, farmers say.

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Million Russians Going Home

NEW YORK, March 21.—The executive committee of the second all-Russian colonial convention, today announced the incorporation of the Stoboda Steamship Line, the purpose of which is to charter or purchase steamships for the transportation of one million Russians—Bolsheviks and others—to Russia.

The main reason for the movement, according to the announcement is that Russian workers cannot obtain employment in this country.

MAINE HOLDS 3 PER CENT BEER LIMIT

AUGUSTA, Me., March 21.—The house yesterday indefinitely postponed the bill making any beverage or other liquor containing more than one-half of 1 per cent of alcohol an intoxicating liquor. The senate had taken similar action.

Representative Cochran of Monmouth spoke at considerable length in support of the bill. He declared that this provision must be in the law if an honest enforcement was to be had. It was necessary, he said, to have the government standard prevail here, Maine, he said, was the only prohibition state which had a 3 per cent standard.

Representative Rounds said the courts had held that less than 3 per cent of alcohol in a liquor was not intoxicating. Grape juice, he said, was being brought into Maine and mixed with cider and the combination contained a much higher percentage of alcohol than 3 per cent, and if the gentleman from Monmouth did not know this, his neighbors did.

Representative Buzzell of Belfast opposed the bill and said that "it wouldn't be long if we kept on before chewing gum would be banned, and we would be regulating how high heels the women should wear and the kind of corset they should use."

MEAT PRODUCTION HITS HUGE TOTAL

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Under the stimulus of war-time demands meat production reached the enormous total of 23,366,000,000 pounds last year which the department of agriculture announced yesterday, "undoubtedly never before had been attained in this country and certainly not in any other country by long odds."

"Meat producers met the war situation magnificently in 1918," the department said. "They increased meat production in one year by 24 per cent and thus made possible an increase of national meat surplus in one year by 79 per cent, and an increase in per capita consumption by 17 per cent. Notwithstanding the very high prices of meat in this country, and with prices rising above 1917, a large fraction of the population must have greatly increased its meat consumption in that year."

Meat production showed an increase of almost 5,000,000,000 pounds last year, compared with 1900. Beef production increased almost a billion pounds, totaling 9,797,000,000 pounds; pork production reached 12,011,000,000 pounds, an increase of more than 3,000,000,000

BULLETIN League of Nations

A great debate! A wonderful conclusion! Both exponents favor a League of Nations. Yes, even this League of Nations now to the rough draft but subject to some few amendments and clarifying language.

America will be willing to do her part and assume her part along with all the others when she sees the way clear, and the way will be made clear. It is clear to some, but can be made clearer for those who think they see things.

Clear the vision, let us have more light, put a searchlight on the way to the League of Nations, but put a spot light on the obstructors, who block the way, or place obstacles in the path, out of spite.

The hope of the world, the desire of all peoples, the security of all nations, the perfect for humanity, in fact civilization itself calls for and demands that an International Council and a League of Nations be established for all time, and no nation can afford to weaken the League by objecting to go in or by planning to get out.

It must be permanent, and for a permanent peace.

Copies of the Constitution of the League of Nations, as drawn up by the Peace Conference and presented by President Wilson in Paris on Feb. 14, and League of Nations Statutes may be obtained free of charge at War Work Headquarters, 119 Merrimack street.

fire or cut down for war needs; that virtually all of Belgium's forests of timber value had been felled by the Germans, and that Great Britain's sacrifice in forests amounted to fully 450,000 acres.

Mr. Pack's retirement from the world court league will enable him to devote all his time to reforestation problems in this country and abroad.

he said. A feature of the forestry association's program in the United States is the planting of memorial trees for soldiers.

MUST GIVE UP ZEPPELINS

Surrender Demanded by Allies—U. S. Expected To Get One or More "Zeps"

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Definite information has reached Washington that Germany will be required to surrender part of her large fleet of Zeppelins, said to number more than 50.

Little has been said about the Zeppelins and none of the armistice terms have required the surrender of any of them.

It is known, however, that the terms about to be submitted to Germany call for the surrender of Zeppelins. Great Britain is understood to have demanded this action. The United States is expected to receive one or more of the Zeppelins.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN POLICE COURT

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A beautiful head of hair has long been regarded as woman's most cherished possession.

Careless use of hot, smoky irons often ruins hair that would otherwise be attractive.

The Electric Curling Iron keeps your hair always looking its best. Imparts that soft, wavy effect so hard to acquire. Its frequent use keeps your hair healthy and preserves its lustre.

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The Result

Is that we can offer our goods at prices that range from 25 to 40 per cent. less than those of other stores.

OVERALLS

Genuine Indigo Blue Overalls, union made, double buckle, all sizes, \$1.50 value, at \$1.00

Painters' Overalls, heavy white, all sizes, union made, \$1.75 value, at \$1.00

Children's Overalls, red trimmed \$1.00

Men's Overalls, heavy brown check, union made, double buckle, double knee, all sizes, at \$1.40

Men's Overalls, extra heavy, union made, double buckle, double knee, all sizes, \$3 value, at \$1.95

Men's Cover Overalls, \$2.00 value, at \$1.10

Men's Overalls, all sizes, at \$1.00

Men's Extra Heavy Blue Overalls, Crown system, best overalls made in the country, none better, all sizes, \$3.50 value, at \$2.40

Carpenters' Aprons, made from ticking, 75c value, for \$1.00

Men's Blue Woolen Contocook B Underwear, \$2.50 value, for \$1.40

Blue Chambray, Khaki and Chambray Work Shirts, in Uncle Sam, Congress and Stag brands, at 75c

Men's Hose, white, black and brown, 25c value, 15c, or 7 Pairs for \$1.00

Men's Working Hose 10c

Men's Heavy Jersey Ribbed Union Suits, all sizes, \$2.00 value, for \$1.00

Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear, all sizes, 80c

Ladies' Ribbed Union Suits, medium weight, \$2.00 value, for \$1.00

Children's "B Z" Union Suits, \$1.50 value for 7c

One Lot of Children's Hose, black only, from 5 to 7 1/2, 25c value 10c a Pair

One Lot of Children's Dresses, \$1.50 and \$2.00 value for 80c

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Showing very smart tailored models—mushroom shapes—small hats—medium size hats—large hats—as well as the girlish rolled brimmed hats which can be worn up or down.

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Full line of Ladies' Spring Millinery, and, as usual we mark them a dollar or two less than the other stores.

Children's "Rover Hat" Hose, triple knee, heel and toes, reinforced where it gets the most wear, warranted by the manufacturer to give entire satisfaction. In black and white, 49c value, 40c

Large Size Turkish Towels, 39c value, 35c, 7 for \$1.00

Ladies' Hose, 19c value 10c

Bamboo Aprons, good quality percale, large sizes, in loose and elastic belts, \$1.50 value 60c

Dark Blue Ganglow Aprons, loose and elastic belts, \$2.00 value 80c

Children's Gingham Dresses in the latest makes, Plaid and other colors, \$2.98 value for \$1.00

Limited quantity.

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TWO DOORS FROM UNION MARKET

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Joseph was given one more chance to see if he can steer clear of the law, and was ordered to pay a fine of \$10 as a further incentive to prepare for the coming drought which is scheduled to descend upon the country.

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In the juvenile session a large number of youthful offenders were arraigned on various charges of breaking, entering and larceny. Some of the cases were continued, and the others placed on probation after making restitution for the damage done.

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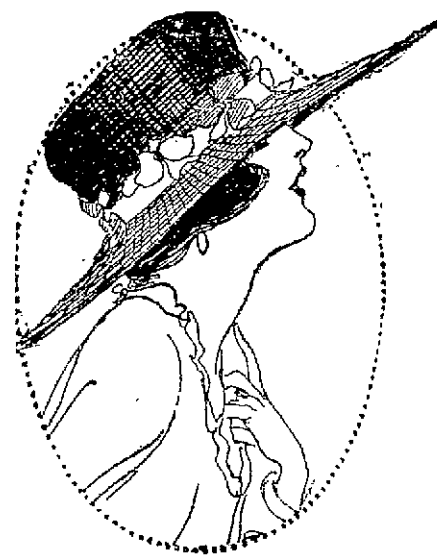


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